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Girls' Club Sees Health Exercises

HYLO.—On March 6 the GGG Girls' Club met at the school. Miss Sylvia Sawchuk gave a demonstration on good posture and exercises for good posture.

A "quilting bee" was planned for Saturday, March 18 to which district ladies were invited and lunch was served by a lunch committee.

The Ladies' Society held a meeting on March 19 at the home of Mrs. B. Coli, where Mrs. Lena Marchesi was hostess for the evening.

Officers were elected. Mrs. Lena Marchesi was unanimously re-elected for secretary and Mrs. Johnny Coli for treasurer. Mrs. Elda Keehn was elected for the office of president while Mrs. Mary Grandish was elected as vice president

Reports were given by treasurer and librarian for 1949. The Ladies Society now boasts a library of approximately 35 books which are being read by the public. These books may be taken from Mrs. Mary Grandish at Grandish's general store.

While the ladies carried out their business meeting their husbands enjoyed the all famed card game "Scoapa."

The evening was closed by a hearty lunch served by the hostess Mrs. Lena Marchesi.

Next meeting is slated for April 23 at the home of Mrs. E. Keehn.

Mrs. Harvey Kennedy and son Dale, have been gone for nearly three weeks visiting Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schriver, and all her sisters and brothers at Thorhild and Abe.

Six couples surprized Mr. Walter Lozinski at his home with a party for his 40th birthday, which was organized by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Keehn. The evening was spent playing Scoapa and whist which ended in a lunch served by the ladies.

RICH LAKE NEWS NOTES

Most of Rich Lake travelled to Goose Lake for the wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Carl York on March 17. Walter Kumpula's tractor and caboose took 17, Sunderman's took 12, Ira Kumpula's tractor and sleigh took five, Alec Napier took three in his new truck, and Haimila's team took four.

Mr. George Napier has had blood transfusions and is feeling better. He has been in the Lac la Biche hospital for some time.

Signe Hogetveit got something in her eye and had to be taken to the doctor. She is better now.

Word has been received of the death of Eric Hanson of St. Lima. He returned from Norway before Christmas and seemed to be feeling fine.

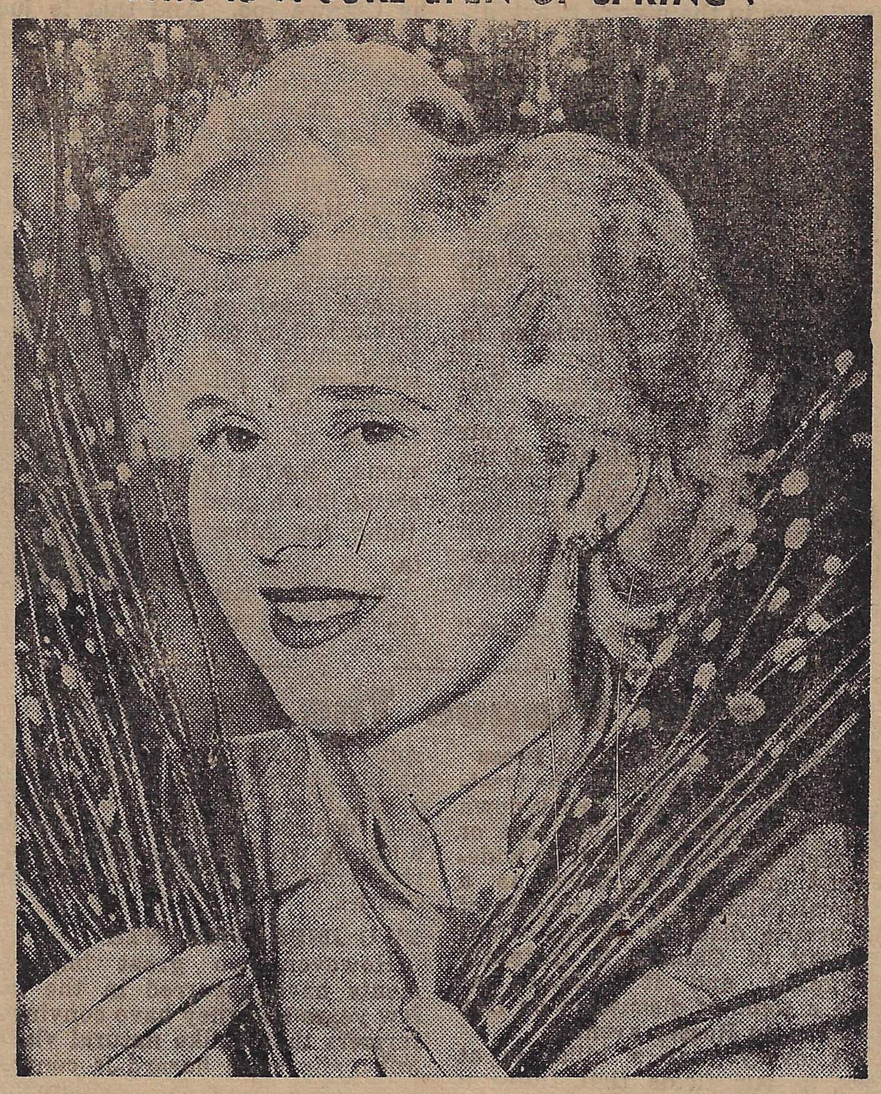
Jed Sunderman has not been feeling well and is to go to the hospital this week to have his tonsils removed.

Lyle Sunderman saw coyotes and two wolves on Mr. Swanson's land last Friday morning, while on the way to school. He ran back home and his dad came with a gun. He fired several shots and believes he wounded one wolf.

Eino Tikkanen is at Helina logging with Calvin Kumpula.

Several residents are waiting to see who gets the mail route from Rich Lake to Ashmont.

THIS IS A SURE SIGN OF SPRING !



—Central Press Canadian

Sure sign of spring is the gladsome sight of pussy willows unfolding their cloaks as winter's grip relaxes. This beautiful bouquet, held here by Glana Morrow, are just a few of many that are now well out, bringing more than a hint of things to come. Several weeks ago the pussy willows appeared but they retreated during the recent cold snap in southern Ontario.

CHARRON TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Choden of Boyle visited friends in Charron recently.

Sandy Karpetz is back from a trip to Edmonton for a load of gas.

Mr. Nick Shapka, who is spending the winter at Drumheller, returned to Charron on business for a few days. He and his family will move back here in a few weeks.

Josephat Cole, who is attending school in Lac la Biche, spent a few days at home.

A birthday party was held for Miss Katherine Gregus at her home recently. Many friends attended, all having a very good time. Miss Gregus received many nice gifts, among them being a lovely wrist watch from a certain young gentleman.

A birthday party was also held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nill Markar on the occasion of Mr. Markars 29th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. St. Jean were recent visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence St. Jean and Mr. and Mrs. Evan St. Jean, of Charron.

EGG LAKE ITEMS

Gerald Amiot recently drove in from Sedgewick, where he works, to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Amiot.

Miss Marie Jeanne L'Heureux, daughter of Laurent L'Heureux, has been in hospital in Lac la Biche with a bad attack of 'flu.

Mr. Jos Malouvet has had an attack of paralysis and had to be taken to hospital by Leo Bourassa.

Mrs. L. G. Amiot, with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gaudet, motored to Edmonton to see their new grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Amiot of Foothills, at the Misericordia Hospital March 8. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Amiot and Leo Gaudet. The baby was baptized Florian Joseph. The sponsors were Leo Gaudet and Georgette Amiot, the baby's aunt and uncle.

PLAMONDON NEWS NOTES

Mr. J. Krull was on a business trip to Plamondon during the week.

Mr. Godel, district agriculturist, and Miss Forest, a visiting household economist, paid a visit to Plamondon.

Mr. Jos. Gagnon drove to Edmonton on a business trip recently.

Mr. Albert Plamondon, Mrs. Arthur Dube and Mr. Jos. Bosse were all recent visitors in Edmonton. Mr. Bosse went to meet his wife who returned home after an absence of four and a half months. Mrs. Bosse was a patient in the General Hospital.

Mrs. Joe Gravel is back home with her new born baby, Joseph Bruce.

Mr. Hubert Belanger is back home from camp. Hubert was an employee at the Menard lumber camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Joey Plamondon and family have moved to Avenir where they have purchased Mr. Daniel Plamondon's place.

The Avenir district now has a community hall. With a motion proposed on Sunday, on Monday LAC LA BICHE— HB morning the men went off to the bush and on Friday night at 5 o'clock a hall size 20 by 30 was completed. The opening dance will be held on April 12. Let us show our appreciation by our numerous attendance.

St. Patrick's Dance Features Waltzes

HYLO.—The Boys' Grain Club sponsored a fairly well-attended dance on St. Patrick's Day. The evening was especially enjoyed by old-timers who waltzed to homeland waltzes played by Mr. Salvator Annillee.

Unfortunately, expenses were too great for the crowd, and only about two dollars were cleared by the club.

Plamondon Resident, Fred Masterson, Passes Away

PLAMONDON—Mr. Fred Masterson passed away recently after a short illness in the Lac la Biche hospital. He is a Plamondon old-timer, having resided in the district for many years.

Mr. Masterson was widely known and respected throughout the district. His only known relations are two sisters in California.

Funeral arrangements were in the hands of Lac la Biche funeral parlors. He was laid to rest in the Plamondon cemetery.

Home And School Discusses Corporal Punishment

HYLO.—On March 9 the Home and School met at the school and resolutions which will be debated at the Home and School convention which will be held at Olds on April 17, 18 and 19, were endorsed.

It was decided against sending a delegate since there would be no one free to go at that time.

An informal discussion, which proved interesting, was carried out on the topic of Corporal Punishment. Opinion proved against the practice of corporal punishment.

The next meetings are slated for April 6 and May 11. At the latter a representative from the Family Allowance Dept. will be present to speak and to show a picture on Child Welfare.

Home Economist Addresses Girls' Club

HYLO.—On March 14 the GGG Girls Club met at the school when they were addressed by Miss Forest, home economist for Riley, who visited the Westlock - Athabasca agricultural district for a week. Miss Forest spoke on Girls' Clubs and work in general.

Due to time element only one demonstration was given while two were postponed until March 23. Miss Sornia Sawchuk gave a report and demonstration on care and laundrying of stockings. Miss Forest graded the demonstration and Sonia came out with honor points.

An informal tea was served in honor of the guest and Miss June Simon acted as hostess with Miss Emily Stratichuk as assistant.

Men's Club Hears Agriculturist

HYLO.—Sr. Men's Agricultural Club meeting in the senior room March 14 was addressed by Mr. Godel, district agriculturist, who spoke on "Various Farming Problems" in northern Alberta. Since this meeting was concurrent with that of the Girls' Club, Miss Forest addressed the men and ladies at this meeting.

Her talk covered briefly the prize farms of 1949, and ways in which the homes of the farm women can be made more pleasant places.

A lunch committee from the Girls' Club served sandwiches and coffee.

From Mr. Godel's address it was evident that, unless district farmers patronize the agricultural office which is opened Tuesdays and Wednesdays at Lac la Biche, a district agriculturist will not be assigned to their region. The office is located in the Alberta hotel.

Hylo Pioneer Celebrates Birthday

HYLO.—On February 26th a surpise birthday party was held at the home of Mr. Henry Michetti, for his father, Mr. Joseph Michetti.

All his children and grandchildren, except three whose work prevented them from attending, and many friends and neighbors attended and completely surprized Mr. Michetti. A beautiful cake, baked by his daughters, was arranged with 70 candles to commemorate the occasion.

Mr. Joseph Michetti's life has been very full of adventure. He was born on Feb. 26, 1880, in Corropoli, Teromo, Italy. In 1901 he left Italy to serve three years in the China war. In 1904 he went to Germany where he was employed for over three years. In 1907 he returned to Italy where on October 18 he married his wife Philomena, whose maiden name was Miss Philomena Zippilli.

In 1910 on March 24 Mr. Michetti landed in New York, U.S.A. He travelled through the States of Tennessee, Ohio, Virginia, Illinois, Kentucky and Pennsylvania until in 1912 when he arrived in B.C. and worked in the constructing of the CNR and Grand Trunk Railway.

In 1914 a group of 19 men with supplies and two teams left Edmonton and travelled to Colinton from where they opened their own road to the site which is now Hylo, where they landed on the 28th of Sept. Mr. Michetti was one of the small number of 19 who remained at Hylo, while the rest returned to Edmonton.

In 1915 he joined the Canadian Army, 218th Battalion of the Irish Guards.

Mr. Michetti purchased two tie contracts at times, 34 years apart, the first being in 1915 and the last in 1949.

Mrs. Michetti with the two older sons Otto and Rudolph, came to Hylo from Italy to join Mr. Michetti in 1917. Seven of their children have been born in Canada and at Hylo.

FREEDOM NEWS NOTES

Mr. Clarence Anderson, well-known young farmer in the district, recently was awarded first prize at the Westlock Fair for his registered seed oats.

Miss Alva Domailly and Mr. Joe Smith Jr., of Naples, have announced their engagement.

Men of the district have just completed lining the inside of the Community Hall with donnacona board. Special thanks goes to Dorothy and Oskar for supplying lunch to the workers.

A meeting of the Girls' Club was held at the home of Mrs. C. Anderson recently. Next meeting will be at the home of the Misses Laurel and Lilly Bruns March 29. Members are asked to take their sewing which they have completed to the meeting.

Freedom was well represented at the Search for Talent show in Barrhead. Lena Hauch and Ollie Olson offered splendid performances.

Joe Smith Jr., is in the Barrhead hospital suffering from a cracked spinal bone.

The Spackmans from Nestow visited friends and relatives at Freedom recently.

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ORTHODOX FINANCE AND SOCIAL CREDIT

Generally speaking, the thinking and habits of public men as politicians, is beyond the scope of our editorial intellect.

Alberta's premier, along with his party and its leader in 1935 was elected to banish orthodox finance and all its attendant evils. Instead of doing this, we find, 15 years later, that the professed enemy of big business—Social Credit, so called—is doing a mighty fine job of co-operating with high finance.

Naturally, the other principal parties, Liberal and CCF are a bit peeved, and with good reason. They argue: "Social Crediters were elected to introduce Social Credit. But they have not done this. In fact, they are pursuing all the old orthodox methods of finance they so soundly condemned a decade ago. Whether Social Credit theories are good or not will never be known. The present party is Social Credit in name only. Therefore either the name of the party should be changed or it should dissolve as no longer supporting its professed beliefs."

These are not only the views of the official opposition parties, but also a small section of the Social Credit group. Besides, Social Crediters generally have lost their religious zeal for Social Credit and support not the principles, or the ideals, but just the party.

This is a bad thing for Social Credit. The promise of freedom from taxation, the lure of a $25 dividend every month, the holy war against orthodox finance, has given Social Credit a spiritual glamor transcending that of an ordinary political party.

Now all these things have been repudiated in fact if not in word. Albertans will no longer feel obligated to stick to the party, on party principles alone. Some may even consider it as "just another" party—and vote against it.

The premier is not to be criticized for his good record of finance. But the party, as Social Credit, might well ask—"What are we here for?"

STRANGE OBJECTS IN THE SKY

At last the scientists have come up with something that might serve as a logical explanation to the "Flying Saucers" that have supposedly been seen cavorting in the heavens over Alberta—and elsewhere.

High in the northern sky, out of the normal belt for asteroids, the astronomers have observed a mysterious, fast-moving object, which does not have a "tail" like most comets.

The strange object and its orbit are unknown, but Dr. Harlowe Shapley, director of the Harvard Observatory, says: "It's one of the most unusual objects sighted in the sky in some time."

Until the scientific observers manage to discover the nature of the object, what we have to say on the subject will of course be highly speculative. But it does sound at least reasonable to assume that meteors from this object could well be the flying saucers we have heard so much about. At least it's a far more logical line of reasoning than to presume the strange missiles reported in the heavens are space-craft from Mars, manned by tiny men 23 inches tall!

So many reports have come in on the flying saucers these last three years, that it seems incredible there's so many liars in the world. The vast majority of people who say they've seen the mysterious objects are, of course, definitely not liars.

Then do these things exist only in the imagination of honest, but mistaken observers?

No matter how imaginative some people are, and no matter to what extent "mass hallucinations" can grow, some of these people must have seen something. Some were no doubt weather balloons, others day-time meteors.

But until conclusive evidence is presented one way or the other, we can be sure to hear of many more such reports as have come to our attention in the past. Eventually we shall no doubt know for sure just what they are, but at the present only opinions can be expressed. And what do opinions count when people talk of things flying through the sky?

NOTES AND COMMENT

It's easy to laugh at the ills of another but the humor ends when you have a pain in your own insides.

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Sometimes a revolutionary movement represents the desire to get something that cannot be gotten legally.

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You can't make money without risking something but you won't make money every time you take a chance.

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The Russians seem to be outclaiming the rest of the world but it has required lots of imagination in the Soviet.

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Many highway fatalities can be avoided if motorists will be courteous in their driving and obedient to traffic signs.

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Worry has never solved a problem and never will; so, if you are worrying, try doing something about your problem.

SCRIPTURAL MEDITATIONS

By AINSLEY BLAIR

"We are brought into sympathy with Christ through the fellowship of His sufferings. Every act of self-sacrifice for the good of others strengthens the spirit of beneficence in the giver's heart, allying him more closely to the Redeemer of the world, who 'was rich, yet for our sakes became poor, that ye through His poverty might be rich.' And it is only as we thus fulfil the divine purpose in our creation, that life can be a blessing to us.

If you will go to work as Christ designs that His disciples shall, and win souls for Him, you will feel the need of a deeper experience and a greater knowledge in divine things, and will hunger and thirst after righteousness. You will plead with God, and your faith will be strengthened, and your soul will drink deeper drafts at the well of salvation. Encountering opposition and trials will drive you to the Bible and prayer. You will grow in grace and in the knowledge of Christ, and will develop a rich experience."

—"Steps to Christ."

Why The Delay?

By T. W. PUE

Alberta is having enough troubles these days deciding how best to make use of her great resources of natural gas, without having the situation messed up by Ottawa too. And that is just what is happening with the present filibuster going on in the nation's capital.

The question of export is one needing a great deal of consideration admittedly and no one expects our provincial leaders to jump into any hurried and unstudied situation.



T. W. Pue

But to have this province's own affairs needlessly blocked by the technicality of a small-group filibuster in the House of Commons, hardly seems like a good thing for Alberta.

True the battle cry of the handful of private members who keep rising to their feet to talk down the two pipeline bills at present before the House is a rousing one. Build an all-Canadian route, they assert. Make these pipeline people promise to build a line entirely in Canadian territory. It sounds fine. But what does this talk achieve? Only one thing. It uses up the time allowed for private members' bills and thus the bills get "talked down" and the required charters are not forthcoming.

What makes this all-Canada argument seem futile at the present time at least, is that assurances have been given by a great many people that gas from Alberta will be guaranteed to British Columbia users before it is sold to Americans in the Pacific Northwest. No one, of course, argues that the Americans are not going to get Alberta gas. Regardless of who builds a pipeline a great deal of the gas will have to be sold to U.S. cities. If it were not for the great gas market these cities are, there would be no pipeline because British Columbia alone does not represent a big enough market to justify building an expensive pipeline.

The protection of British Columbia users is guaranteed in our own Gas Conservation Act; it has been guaranteed by at least one of the companies applying for a charter and it has been guaranteed by the Minister of Trade and Commerce, Hon. C. D. Howe. Presumably the Board of Transport Commissioners, who also get a veto on this matter, would hardly ignore the views of all these people.

If the filibusters' talk about "defence" purposes implies the danger of a war between Canada and the United States, a southern route gas pipeline would be no more vulnerable than the big Interprovincial oil line which is being built to Superior, Wisconsin.

The whole filibuster argument does not seem to add up. And in the meantime it is delaying Alberta's own chances of making an important decision. For with only one company allowed a charter by Ottawa to date, this province is in no position to bargain on the question of rates or routes. Let more companies get their charters and Alberta has a chance to look over the picture before deciding.

That decision, incidentally, cannot be held off too long. Down in Montana and Wyoming new gas reserves are being discovered regularly. If the Ottawa filibuster continues long enough perhaps the gas people in those states can build a line to move their gas out to the Pacific Northwest.

What then happens to the dream of an Alberta-British Columbia pipeline, with too few customers in our neighbor province to support such a project?

What then happens to Alberta's excess gas?

What then happens to the chances of having a gas export company build a collecting grid in this province which would not only serve the export pipeline, but link many smaller communities to a ready-made gas service?

Weeds Plague The Prairies

From the Winnipeg Free Press

When large sections of the western Canadian crop are struck down by a great visitation like rust or a grasshopper invasion, it is widely and properly regarded as a national calamity. The impact of the prairie disaster on the whole economy of Canada is instantly recognized, and it becomes as much a topic of discussion on Bay street as on Rosser avenue.

Yet every year a killer is at work in our fields that takes a toll greater than rust, grasshoppers, sawflies and all the rest of our crop hazards put together; and apart from agricultural experts it rates scarcely a nod.

The loss caused by weeds which form the No. 1 agent of destruction, is appalling. It was stated succinctly the other day by Mr. G. R. Fraser, a former official of the Manitoba Department of Agriculture, who is now with the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture. He said that the average Saskatchewan farmer lost from 18 to 20 per cent of his crop income each year through weeds.

The loss which they caused was greater than that from field crop diseases (including rust), field insects (including grasshoppers), livestock diseases, hail and flood combined.

AS MUCH AS OATS WORTH

This proportion of loss is not confined to Saskatchewan. Manitoba agricultural officials say it may be applied to this province and Alberta as well. On this basis, the farmers of the prairie provinces lost nearly as much money from weeds last year as they made from their entire crop of oats. Their weed loss was just about double the value of their crop of barley. In specific terms, the loss through weeds was just under $200 millions.

What, if anything, has been done to reduce this huge annual loss?

For years little was done, apart from the not-too-rigid enforcement of the Noxious Weed Act and from the individual farmer's own efforts. The farmer himself, although seized with the need for weed control, pursued the job half-heartedly and often with the spirit of defeatism. With the tools at his command he could only do a partially successful job; and his best efforts could be nullified by a strong wind blowing in his direction from a nearby field of sow thistles.

TWO IMPROVEMENTS

However, two great improvements have occurred in the last few years and they have convinced farmers that unlike natural visitations, the weed hazard is controllable. They were the development of chemical weed killers and vastly improved tillage implements.

Hand in hand with these there has been a sharp increase in the attention paid to the problem by governments and other agencies.

As a result of this growth of interest, the first prairie weed conference was held in 1947. Similar conferences were held in 1948 and 1949, followed by provincial and district conferences.

The big conference is attended by provincial, federal and university experts, and by representatives of the chemical companies, farm machinery companies, grain elevators and other agencies whose welfare is tied up with that of the farmer. It serves as a clearing house for information on chemical control and better tillage; and through it the whole method of control is passed down through the provincial and district conferences to the man on the farm.

WITHIN 5 OR 10 YEARS

It naturally took some time for knowledge of the new techniques to reach the farmer and be put into practice. But by 1949, the new control methods were making a major impact on the problem. The results of all the heavy spadework of the previous two years began to become apparent, not only to the experts, but to the farmers themselves. In the opinion of Mr. H. E. Wood, chairman of the Manitoba Weeds Commission, the process of improvement should be cumulative. He believes that within the next five or 10 years, it is possible for the whole problem of weeds to be transformed from our leading headache to a comparatively minor ailment.



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Influence

Judge—I'm tired of seeing you here so often.

Hobo—All right. I'll use me influence to have you transferred somewhere else.

Bridge of Sighs

"Think of the golden moments you have wasted playing," friend.

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne, regretfully, "besides a lot of silver coin and paper currency."

Itching Salute

First Guest—"I'm sure I don't know why they call this hotel the Palms, do you? I've never seen a palm anywhere near the place."

Second Guest—"You'll see them before you go. It's a pleasant surprise the whole staff keeps for the guests on the last day of their stay."

Post-Mortem Experts

"You say that you are the sole support of a widowed mother, your father having recently been killed in an explosion. How did the explosion happen?"

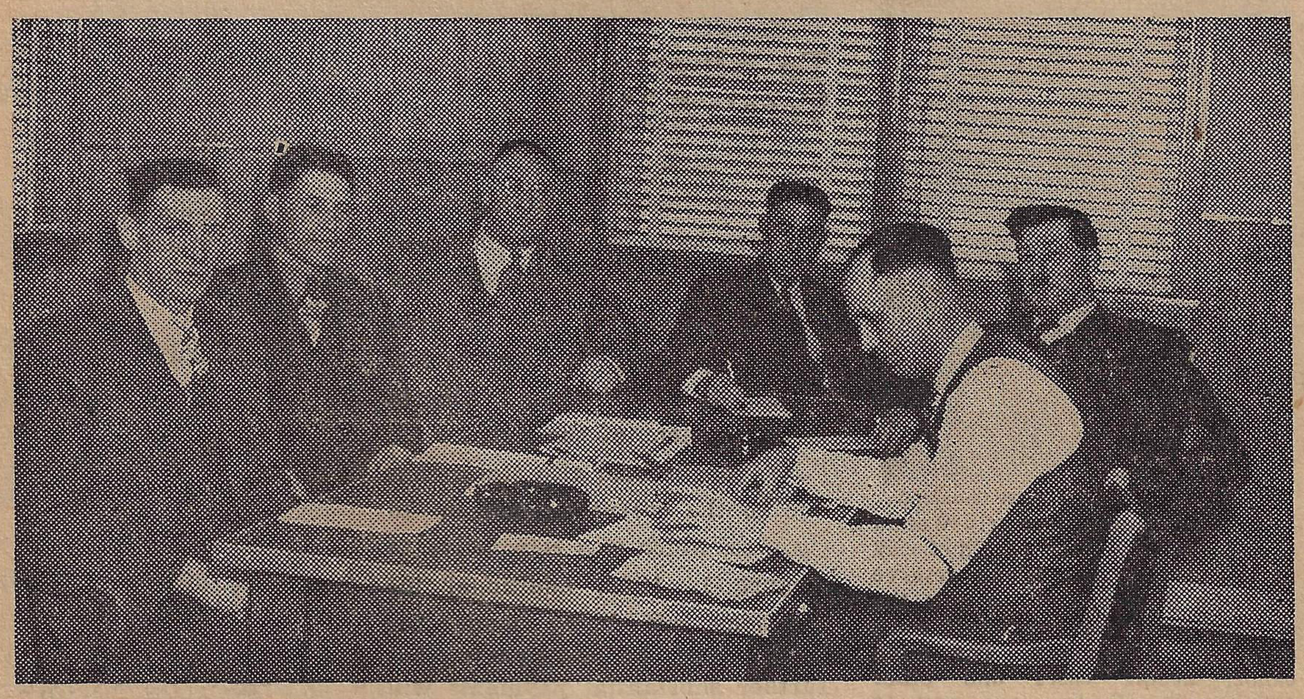
"Mother says it was too much yeast but Uncle Jim thinks it was too much sugar.'

Spotlight on . . .

ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People,
Week Ending April 1, 1950

Councillors of Morinville District



Shown here are council members of Morinville Municipal District No. 91. All are experienced administrators of this modern and progressive district.

Morinville Councillors Govern Modern, Progressive District

An extremely well-governed municipality in northern Alberta is the Municipal District of Morinville No. 91. The district embraces the communities of St. Albert, Legal, Morinville, Riviere Qui Barre, and Vimy, with a combined population of several thousand. The district is a modern and progressive one, settled by prosperous farmers and businessmen serving the rural district flanking Edmonton.

Reeve of Morinville Municipal District is Mr. J. G. Dusseault, who first commenced council duties in 1934 in the old municipal district of Hazelwood. Mr. Dusseault, who was formerly a school teacher, left that profession to farm in the Vimy district, and soon became one of the best known farmers in the municipality.

Mr. Dusseault served for several years on the Board of the Sturgeon School Division. He has been winner twice of the "Save the Soil Campaign" and recently won the master farmer award for the district.

Councillor John Schafers, a farmer in the Morinville district, was first elected to council in 1943 on the formation of the enlarged district. He has since received two acclamations to office in representing Division 1 in the district.

Another farmer councillor is Mr. Gustave Meunier, who was first elected in 1947 and re-elected by acclamation this year. He is the son of Wilfred Meunier, an old-timer in the district.

A farmer of the Riviere Qui Barre district, Mr. N. C. Perrot took his seat in council in 1948. Mr. Perrot is widely known in the district and takes an active part in community affairs. He farms a section of land just north of Riviere Que Barre, and his family have long lived in the district.

Mr. Stanley Walker is a farmer in the Calahoo district, and was first elected to council last year. Mr. Walker is the youngest member of the council. He is active in many organizations in the municipality.

Secretary-Treasurer of the municipality, Mr. J. O. Patry has 11 years of service in municipal affairs. He served four years on the old Hazelwood council and since the formation of the Morinville Municipal District in 1943 he has served on the new council.

As assistant to the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. S. Mercier has acted in this capacity since 1945. Lionel R. Larose completes the office staff as typist clerk, and has been with the district since June, 1949.

Walter Ellett, prominent farmer of the district, is the field supervisor of the Morinville agricultural service board, and has been known for years for his work in the district.

Mr. Ellett is also secretary-of the Morinville Municipal Seed Cleaning Co-op Ltd., which was recently completed and is now in operation serving farmers of the region.

Goodyear To Open Edmonton Office

Another indication of northern Alberta's industrial growth will be the opening in Edmonton March 29 of a new branch of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company. Now completed, the Edmonton outlet will serve northern Alberta, the Northwest Territories and parts of Northern British Columbia.

The company has found that tremendous growth of the oil industry, along with increased Alberta grain acreage, creates a demand for rubber products which requires expanded facilities for distribution. Both industry and farmer are heavy users of rubber goods.

Opening of the Edmonton branch will facilitate servicing of the company's products to all consumers in this territory by assuring complete stocks at a close distribution point.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS
FOR
AUTO BUNGALOW CAMP
CONCESSIONS

APPLICATIONS addressed to The Superintendent, Jasper National Park, Jasper, Alberta, will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, May 1, 1950, for three sites in Jasper National Park for auto bungalow camp concessions, located as follows:

Site one—Mile 2-4 Jasper-Banff Highway; site two—north shore of Patricia Lake; site three—east shore of Patricia Lake.

Particulars concerning the sites to be made available, conditions to be complied with, terms of agreement and licence which may be issued, and the basis on which the award of the concessions will be made, may be obtained from the Park Superintendent.

JAMES SMART,
Controller.

Ottawa, March 30, 1950,
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Initiative and Enterprise Is J. Camarta's Success Story

MORINVILLE. — Those who preach the end of private enterprise and decry personal ambition, can learn a lesson from the success story of John Camarta, written in the daily production of coal at the Morinville Colliery.

This mine, two miles southwest of Morinville, was, before Mr. Camarta came here in 1945, just a stubble field. Now the field is known all over Alberta, and the huge coal delivery elevator is visible for miles around.

Coal from the mine is shipped down east and to the coast. A new electric coal cutter will soon make greater production possible.

The Morinville Colliery, in the busy season, employs 25 to 30 men and produces 100 tons daily of high quality coal. Next season, with better equipment and more modern screening methods, an even better quality product will be delivered in greater volume. Capacity is expected to reach 200 tons per day next winter.

The shaft, which was started in November 1945, now reaches a quarter of a mile from the mine head, nearly 1,500 feet. This, of course, is not a strip mine, and coal is brought out on small trucks on rails. A new hoist and tipple mechanism dumps the coal from the the rail trucks to road vehicles below making for the most speedy and efficient service.

Morinville Collieries famous "Spitfire" coal is known and used all over north-central Alberta, a tribute to the foresight and initiative of John Camarta.

Red Poll Chief Tours Alberta

"We not only have the best breed of cattle, but the best people associated with it," says H. Bert Sumner, St. Albert, in speaking of the Alberta Red Poll Club and the Canadian Red Poll Association. Mr. Sumner has recently returned from a trip throughout the province, visiting various stock farms, and the annual meeting of the Canadian Red Poll Association at Portage la Prairie.

Accompanying Mr. Sumner to the annual meeting were J. R. Atkinson, St. Albert; H. L. Sweet, Morningside, and Donald Paulsen, Ponoka.

At the meeting Mr. Sweet was re-elected Hon. president, and Mr. Atkinson, director for Alberta.

As president of the Alberta Red Poll Club, Mr. Sumner, in his recent tour throughout Alberta, visited several stock farms in the province, including those at St. Albert, Namao, Millet, Morningside, Rimbey, Ponoka, Lacombe and elsewhere.

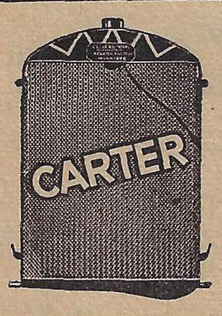
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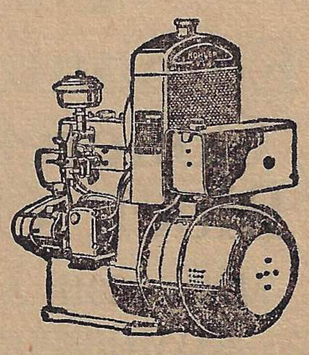
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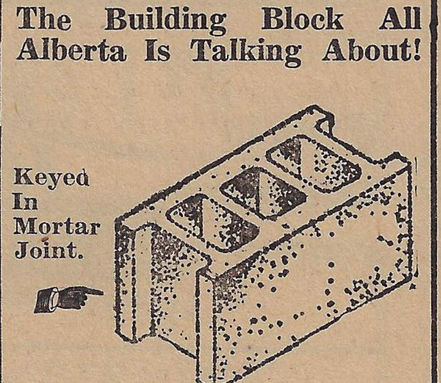
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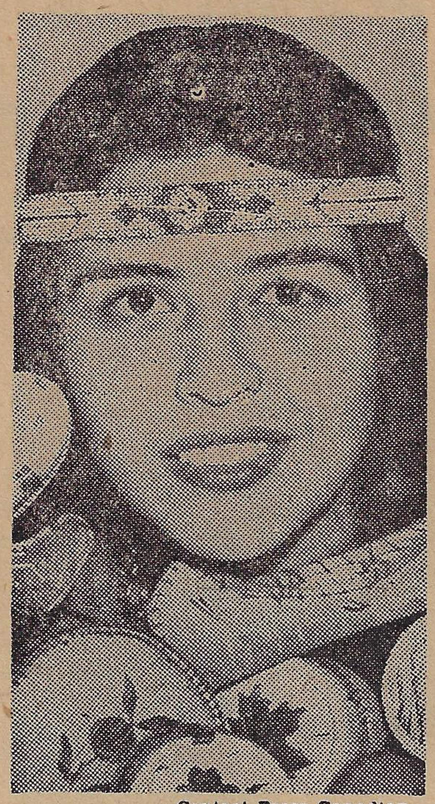
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TCA Launches New Services

First direct transportation service to link the southern United States and Canada will begin April 2nd with the inaugeration of a non-stop 5 1-2 hour air service by Trans-Canada Air Lines between Toronto, Ontario, and Tampa and St. Petersburg, Florida.

The new service will also bring direct air connections between the Caribbean Islands of Jamaica and the Bahamas.

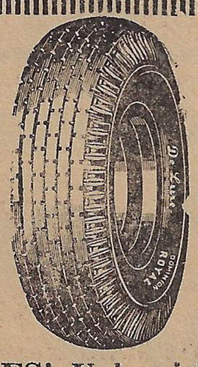
Initially, two flights weekly are scheduled to operate between Montreal, Toronto, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Nassau and return.

Southbound flights are scheduled to leave Montreal on Sunday and Wednesday mornings calling at Toronto and arriving at Tampa International Airport at 5 p.m. Flights depart from Tampa at 5:50 p.m. to arrive in Nassau at 7:50 p.m. EST.

Northbound flights will originate from Nassau Monday and Thursday mornings, call at Tampa and Toronto and arrive at Montreal the same evening.

From May 1, summer schedules call for a weekly flight between Montreal, Toronto, Tampa and on to Kingston, Jamaica, on Mondays replacing the Sunday Tampa to Nassau service. Wednesday services will remain unchanged.

The new TCA north-south route will be flown by four-engine pressurized North Stars. It is designed to facilitate the exchange of business contracts as well as serve the needs of vacationists from all parts of Canada for quick travel to holiday meccas in Florida and the Caribbean. By the same token it will open new holiday opportunities in Canada for residents in the southern States. The airline now serves 8 major American communities.



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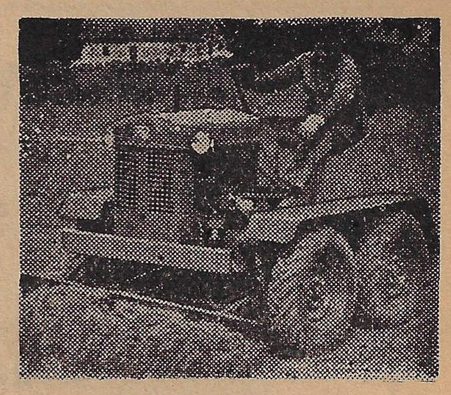
New Council Holds Meeting

LEGAL.— The new Legal village council has met with Mayor Lucien Provost and Leo Prefontaine. Mr. Provost stated that the village is trying to get water and sewerage in operation as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

Federal Assistance To Alberta Farmers Totals 5 Millions

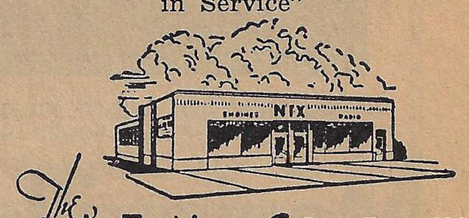
Over 25,000 farmers in more than ten thousand townships in Alberta have received payment under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act of $5,030,000 for the crop year of 1949-50, according to Mr. L. H. S. Rowbotham, Alberta superintendent of the Act.

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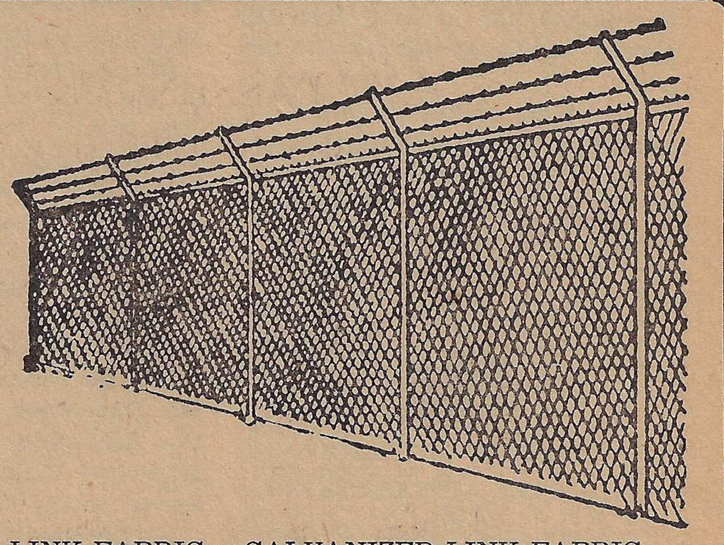


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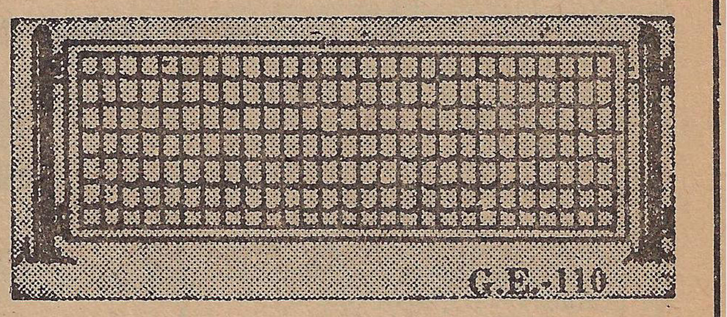
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Individual dial service at Two Hills will also serve some rural subscribers

West Jasper Place district will receive rural automatic party lines. It is planned to install fifteen lines with fifteen subscribers on each line, giving the village 255 telephones.

A shortage of material and skilled labor still plagues the telephone system, but all told the organization will install about 7,000 phones throughout the province this year.

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Farmers' Union Attacks Rural Electrification

A change of policy in rural electrification in Alberta is being sought by the Farmers' Union of Alberta. Claiming that the present plans under which the power companies in Alberta are proceeding with rural electrification are entirely unsatisfactory and very unfair to the farmers, the executive of the F.U.A. is at present circularizing their locals with a brief pointing out the weaknesses of the present setup, and contrastng the Alberta system with the Manitoba method. They are requesting that the locals study the brief and make the necessary steps to evolve concerted action on the matter with provincial authorities.

The brief points out that in Alberta, farmers pay for the rural lines, a situation that does not exist in towns and cities. The cost of these lines amounts to from $900 to $1,200 per farmer and the F.U.A. points out that this high cost prevents full coverage, as many farmers along the proposed lines cannot afford it.

Newly established people, particularly war veterans and younger farmers are hardest hit, and consequently are being denied one of the greatest benefits of rural life.

The Farmers' Union of Alberta, together with the A.F.A. and the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts has joined hands in asking for the development of electric power as a public utility along the lines of the Manitoba system.

Among the changes proposed are the following:

1. Development of electrical power as a public utility under a provincial power commission.
2. That rural lines be built into the farmers' yards including transformer, without charge.
3. That farmers who have already paid for lines be reimbursed by the power commission.
4. That a comprehensive plan be set up for the electrification of Alberta, making full use of waterpower, gas and coal in the production of electric energy.
5. That proifts now going to power companies be utilized to extend rural lines.

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This series would not be complete without reference to Peavine's "Grand Old Man," Joseph Robert Romeo, Mr. Romeo was born in Bordeaux, France in 1854. His father was a ship's chandler and realizing that Antwerp, Belgium was destined to be one of the greatest ports in Europe, he moved there with his family in 1863. Mr. Romeo was educated in Ghent and Antwerp and growing up around the docks of this great port it is not surprising that he felt and heeded the call of the sea. When he was 16 years of age, the Franko-Prussian war broke out and Mr. Romeo seeking adventure, left home and joined the French army with which he saw action at the battle of the Sedan. His father thoght that a three-year spell of army life and discipline—particularly the latter—would be good for him but his mother wanted him home and as a result, at the conclusion of the war succeeded in having him discharged on account of his age.

However, he did not stay home long as the call of the sea was too strong. He became a meber of the crew of a ship sailing from Antwerp and, during the next four years as a sailor visited many of the ports of the world. In 1876 his ship docked at New Orleans and as they liked the city so well, he and a friend decided to stay there. Hearing that in Texas men were being recruited to fight under Custer against the Indians, the two adventurers decided to go to Texas and enlist. However, at a place later known as Morgan City his friend had a quarrel with a Mexican over a game of billiards. The Mexican attacked the friend with a knife. To save his partner, Mr. Romeo unhesitantly grabbed a bottle and swung, felling the Mexican with a blow on the head. In the resulting confusion the friends escaped, but were separated, never to meet again.

Mr. Romeo abandoned the idea of fighting Indians and decided to try farming. His first venture was the purchase—on time of 80 acres, most of which was good walnut timber. Selling out at a profit, he left Louisiana and bought land in Mississippi where he was married in 1877. During the next 30 years he farmed in Mississippi,Louisiana, East Texas, West Texas and finally in Oklahoma. His main crops were cotton and corn.

In that time there were many "runs". As a new territory was thrown open for settlement, there was a mad scramble for new land. Many would sell the land they had for a small sum and join in the hunt for newer and better land at the foot of the rainbow.

Mr. Romeo never joined in these runs but was content to buy a good location cheap from a man who was anxious to move on. And so he prospered as in a year or two he was able to sell his land at a good profit and then he would repeat the process.

Life in the South was wild, more or less lawless, hectic, exciting in those nineteenth centry days and Mr. Romeo had his share of excitement. Rustlers flourished and at times were very aggressive. Our old timer joined the "Viligantes" and took part in various long chases after horse and cattle thieves. These chases were not always successful but sometimes the stolen stock was recovered and occasionally they would capture the rustlers. Retribution was then prompt and effective as the rustlers were immediately hanged. Mr. Romeo was only present on one completely successful mission when two rustlers were captured and hung. In those days there was often trouble and fighting with the Indians as well, but Mr. Romeo missed this feature of frontier life and says, "No one saw fewer Indians or had less contact with them than I."

In 1907 M. Romeo made his last long move in search for land, as in that year, seeking land for himself and his five sons, he and his family came to Edmonton and eventually, after many days travel on the atrocious trails of those days finally located land north-west of the lake now known as Lake Romeo. Mr. Romeo was the first settler in Township 58, Range 7, West of the 5th. For years his house was a famous land mark and "stopping place" for all who came into this district over the Belvedere-Mosside route, being the first place to be seen on emerging from the almost impassable "road" through the brush west of Mosside. Every traveler of the 1907-1913 period was cheered by the sight of this house and the thoughts of the good meals awaiting him there.

Mr. Romeo was the first Justice of the Peace in this district and for a few years operated a store here, hauling all supplies from Edmonton by horse or ox team. Both house and store were built of hewn logs but all lumber used for floors, roof sheathing, etc., was sawn by hand from spruce logs which were very plentiful. Shingles for the roofs were all homemade too.

For a while the Peavine Post Office was also at this store, but in 1912 the store was closed, the post office moved to its present location and Mr. Romeo concentrated on farming. After the First World War he sold this farm to the Soldier Settlement Board for his son Lec (who had gone overseas with the 194th Battalion) and with Mrs. Romeo went for a trip to see the children and friends they had left behind in the south.

Returning, Mr. Romeo bought another farm in Peavine but after the death of Mrs. Romeo in 1927—their golden wedding year—he sold this farm and for eight years was Imperial Oil Agent at Rochfort Bridge.

He took up a second homestead immediately north of, and overlooking Lake Romeo (which was named for him).

Of the five sons who homesteaded here with him in 1907 only Joe, the eldest, is still farming here but five grandsons also the husbands of four granddaughters are farming in the district.

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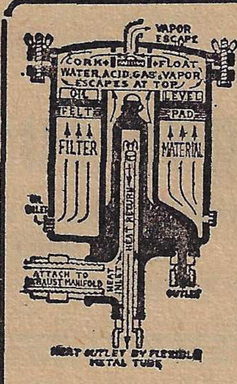
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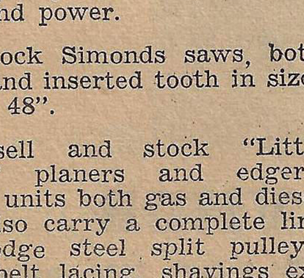
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In The Legislature

By W. R. CORNISH

Hon. D. B. MacMillan, on reporting to the House, stated that the anticipated road program for 1950 would exceed that of any previous year in Alberta's history.

Information was given to the House to show that on a per capita basis Alberta's grant towards education was from two to seven times as great as that of any province with the exception of British Columbia and New Brunswick.

Some of the Opposition had suggested that oil revenue should be used to reduce taxation. Premier Manning replied to this by stating that there were three reasons why the Government would not follow this practice.

In the first place, he stated, tax rates in Alberta are generally lower than the average for other provinces of Canada. Secondly, the financial position of Albertans is better than usual, and thirdly, the general feeling of the public is that it is more desirable to increase services than to reduce taxation.

Speaking in answer to Mr. Prowse's criticism that 18 millions of dollars of the Provincial revenue is a gift from Ottawa under the Tax Transfer Agreement, Mr. Manning stated that far from such an amount being a gift from the Senior Government, it represented only a rental payment for the Dominion Government's exclusive use of the various tax fields in which they have complete jurisdiction during the life of the Tax Transfer Agreement. He pointed out to the House that the Alberta Government will give serious consideration to the amounts now being allocated by Ottawa in these tax fields before agreeing to renew the Agreement on the expiration of its present life.

Hon. Mr. Casey told the House that education today employed 9,000 people whose wages exceed twenty million dollars yearly. He stated that Provincial garnts to school districts have increased from $4,307,000 in 1946 to $7,850,000 this year. This is an increase of 82 per cent in four years. Teachers' pensions will cost the Government more than half a million dollars in 1950.

The House was told that the membership of the Farmers' Union of Alberta as at January 31, 1950 was 4,593. In reporting to the House, Hon. D. A. Ure indicated that there are over a quarter million cattle that have been tested for TB and every effort is being made to test the entire area between Calgary and Edmonton. District agriculturists and home economists last year contacted 176,000 people in an endeavor to assist farm people with their problems. More than a million trees will be planted in Alberta this year and every effort is being made to increase this quantity as an essential step in controlling soil erosion.

The resolution was passed in the house requesting the Dominion government to allow Old Age Pensioners to earn more money than at present without automatically having their pension reduced.

Considerable progress is being made in the passing of the estimates and it is possible that the House might complete its work by the end of the month.

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THE CHURCH IN ROME

International Sunday School Lesson for March 26, 1950
Lesson Text: Romans 1: 1, 7-12; Acts 28: 14b-15, 30-31.

MEMORY SELECTION "I am not ashamed of the gospel; it is the power of God for salvation to every one who has faith, to the Jew first and also to the Greek."—Romans 1: 16.

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There is no doubt but that it was Paul's undying ambition to preach the gospel in Rome and, throughout his ministry, he bent his endeavors in that direction. It looked as if he would be denied his desire, but toward the close of his work, while he was in Jerusalem, the Lord made it known to him that he was to go to Rome with divine approval (Acts 23:11).

To trace his experience en route to his eventual arrival in the capital of the great Roman empire is a most interesting revelation. From Ephesus he went to Jerusalem, where he conferred with the leaders of the faith. To please the orthodox Jews, he followed a ceremony of purification in the temple. His enemies however having seen him with Gentiles, complained that he carried these forbidden persons into the temple and their accusations quickly stirred up the mob.

Paul was seized and roughly handled before he was rescued by the Tribune Lysias, commander of the Roman soldiers. He was given an opportunity to address the crowd but the fury of the mob was so great that Paul was ordered scourged to secure a confession, whereupon Paul claimed immunity from such punishment as a Roman citizen.

He was carried before the Sanhedrin, of which he had been a member, and after a conversation with the chief priest, Paul raised the question of immortality, knowing that the Pharisees and the Sadducees differed in their beliefs at this point. As expected the issue transferred the attention somewhat from Paul as the Pharisees upheld his viewpoint. So vigorous was the resulting contention that the Roman officer carried him away.

The Jews were determined to be rid of Paul. His nephew, learning of their plans, warned him and Paul was sent under escort to Caesarea, the capital of Judea. Before Felix, the governor, Paul's accusers presented their charges and Paul replied to them. Felix understood the Jewish differences and how seriously they regarded religious questions. However, he postponed a decision, keeping Paul in prison, but with indulgences, for two years, some thinking that Felix was waiting to be bribed to release him.

Felix was succeeded as governor by Festus, who was a better man. He again heard the charges against Paul and Paul's denial of their accusations. Festus was about to send Paul to Jerusalem for trial, which would mean his certain doom and exercised his privilege as a Roman citizen to appeal his case to Caesar. This meant he would have to be sent to Rome.

Paul and several other prisoners were turned over to the Centurian Julius. In the first ship on the long journey, the party proceeded up the coast of Palestine and then northwestwardly to Myra, where all transferred to a grain ship, probably out of Egypt, bound for Rome. Unable to cross the Aegean, the vessel sailed southward to Crete, where it ran into a violent storm and was wrecked.

Following the shipwreck at Malta, Paul and the entire 276 who had been aboard ship, spent three months on the island, where Paul took advantage of the opportunity b preaching the gospel. After the on a third ship, another grain vesstay on Malta, the travellers embarked on a third ship, another grain vessel and finally landed on the Italian mainland at Puteoli. From there Paul made his way to Rome.

Arriving at Rome Paul was continued as a prisoner but while a guard was chained to him, he was allowed considerable freedom in so far as his stationary residence permitted. He conferred with leading Jews, delivered a great address to a large gathering of his racial kindred and continued his work for the gospel, establishing a church here for the furtherance of the gospel. It was to that church that Paul wrote his letter to the Romans, the basis for our study this week.

Paul was not brought to trial. Eighteen months with no pressing charges against a prisoner were considered sufficient to free him, so Paul was liberated. For several years he labored and travelled. Some think he went to Spain. Then came the burning of Rome under the reign of Nero. The Christians were accused. While in Greece, probably, Paul was arrested and sent to Rome, where he was lodged in close and cruel confinement, only to end when he was beheaded outside the walls of Rome.

So ends the record of this great apostle. As death drew nigh, he could write: "I have fought the good fight, I have finished my course. Henceforth, there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness.

School House Riot

By T. T. Thompson

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Each by the other shove with vim.
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Not by your leave but dern it—come!
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School farm aches when the quadrille ends,
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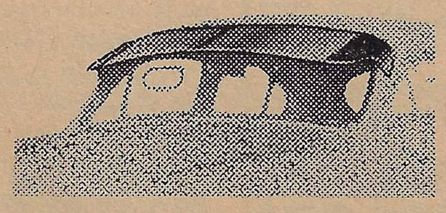
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ATA Opposes County System, Backs CKUA

"Two proposals now before the legislature are a source of grave concern among Alberta teachers," says Eric C. Ansley, secretary-treasurer of the Alberta Teachers' Association. At a special meeting recently teacher representatives denounced the proposed actions of the provincial government on two counts—the proposal to discontinue operation of radio station CKUA, and the proposal to institute a county system in Alberta.

The executive requested the government to reconsider decision to dispense with CKUA. They pointed out that there is a very vital need for a non-commercial radio station in Alberta and that discontinuation of this service would be a severe blow to provincial education and culture in general.

Referring to the proposed county system Mr. Ansley stated that this measure is probably the most disturbing piece of legislation ever to be brought before the citizens of Alberta. He stated that under its present proposed setup, the plan if enacted would jeopardize the very roots of democratic principles of local governments.

School boards would lose their fiscal independence and would no doubt be abolished within a few years. School superintendents would become employees of municipal councils and would lose their security of tenure and their permission rights. The system would increase centralization at a time when decentralization is of increasing importance. Members of the school board, who today run the schools would not be responsible directly to the people, and politics would undoubtedly get into our school system, Mr. Ansley stated.

In reviewing the various actions taken to date Mr. Ansley stated that the Alberta Educational Council had asked the caucus for the privilege of appearing before the committee of the legislature but the request had been refused. The intention was to present the opinion of both trustees and teachers about the proposed county system of administration.

As far as is known, not a single school man in Alberta has been asked for an opinion about the effects of the county system of administration on schools, and to date not a single person who has spoken in favor of the county system can be regarded as an authority on education, Mr. Ansley stated.

Both the CKUA proposal and the County Legislation will be brought before the annual general meeting of the Alberta Teachers' Association in Calgary April 10, 11 and 12, and it is expected that strong opposition to the proposals will be voiced at that time. Meantime, teachers throughout the province have been asked to lodge protests through their respective MLA's.

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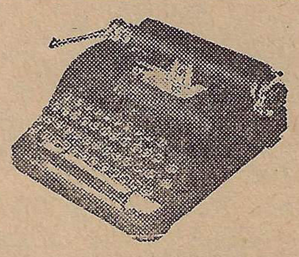
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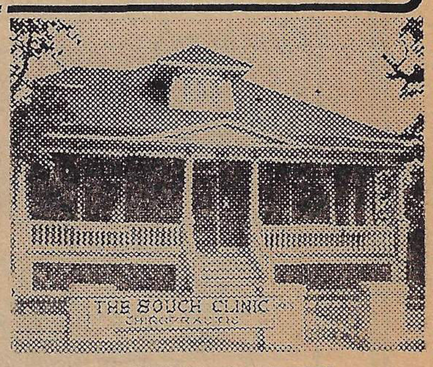
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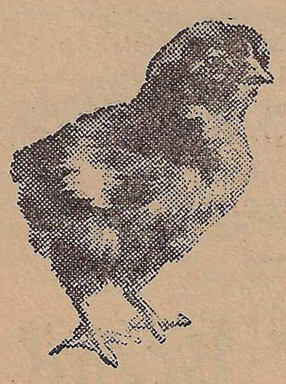
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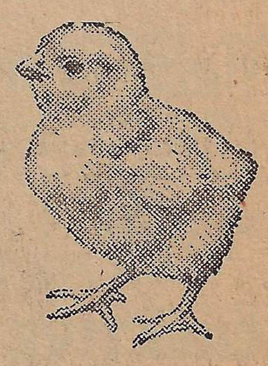
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Today's quacks offer an amazing assortment of cure-alls including "radar", "atomic pills," "electronic-ray machines." Gullible persons pay heavily for these "cures", but more serious is the fact that grave conditions which might respond to sound medical care often progress beyond hope of a cure while the quack applies his course of fake treatments.

After a physical examination at Northwestern University had found the writer of the article "disgustingly healthy," she submitted herself as a prospective patient to a Dr. Myrtlo Farnsworth of Chicago.

Dr. Farnsworth instructed the patient to stand in her stocking feet on two silver plates wired to a 'many-dialed gadget resembling an old-fashioned radio." After recording "pulsations" for more than an hour, the gadget found 14 "frightening conditions," including "possible diabetes." The fee for diagnosis was $35.

This device is the "Drown machine," named for the late Dr. Ruth Drown, a Los Angeles chiropractor. In Chicago the demand for Drown treatments is so heavy that patients may wait months for an appointment. The machine, it is claimed, not only diagnoses but cures any disease it detects, and even "shortwaves" treatments to distant patients.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has denounced the apparatus as "a fake and a fraud," and the American government has filed suit against the Drown business.

The "Magic Spike," a metal cylinder the size of a cigarette, is alleged to effect cures when attached to one's clothing. The cylinder holds a tiny glass vial filled with what its maker calls "Vrilium Catalytic Barium Chloride," and is said to emit healing rays for the relief of burns, sprains, blood disturbances and other ailments.

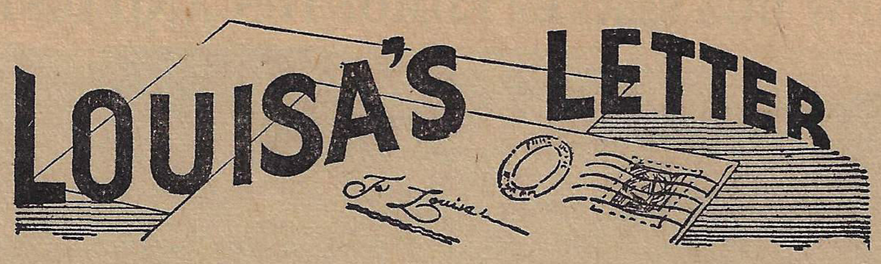
So convincing has been Magic Spike's promotion that prominent Chicagoites, including former Mayor Kelly, are among many who have paid $300 and up for its mythical benefits. It has "no curative value whatever," says the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

The notorious "Koch Cure" is a "chemical treatment" for cancer, invented by Dr. W. F. Koch of Detroit. American government agents, who have tried to suppress this "cure" for years, call Koch "the smartest quack in the United States."

One Koch practitioner quoted the author a fee of $325 for a treatment. The American Medical Association has long denounced Koch's Cure, yet thousands of cancer victims continue to be deluded by its promoters.

Clever quacks are difficult to combat, the article says, for they know how to avoid acts of malpractice which could bring them afoul of the law. Patients are urged to check physicians who propose to treat them, through local medical societies or accredited hospitals, and to avoid all who claim to possess a "secret" treatment.

No reputable doctor would withhold a valid treatment from his profession nor deny its benefits to humanity.



Dear Louisa:

My husband and I have been married fifteen years and have no children. We are very happy and are comfortably fixed but I am getting on in years and I wonder what will happen to me if I am left alone.

My husband will not discuss business matters with me at all and if I say anything about one of us passing on, he gets very much upset and won't discuss it at all. I hate to seem mercenary, but I know that one-third of what we have will not take care of me if I am old and unable to work and that is what I would get according to the laws of our state if there is no will.

My husband's family is well-fixed and I know that he would want me to have everything he owns as he has often said that I worked just as hard as he did to make what we have. But what am I to do? He may have made a will but if he has he hasn't mentioned it to me.

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Your husband is treating you very badly in not discussing his finances with you and even if it upsets him, if I were you, I should insist on knowing just how I stand and what I could expect in case of his death. He has probably made a will—it is unthinkable that he hasn't—but on the other hand he may be one of those good intentioned men who keep putting off the things they know they should do and may have carelessly neglected doing so.

I do not see how anyone could think you are mercenary. You have worked in your way just as hard as your husband has and certainly all you possess should be fifty-fifty. It is a crying shame that women are discriminated against by the laws of a state. Certainly if everything should go to him at your death, it is only fair for what you own to be yours at his death. I suppose that is one reason a group of women are working so hard to have a bill in Congress passed for equal rights to women. Some states are lagging far behind others in these matters.

Have a plain talk with your husband about a will. After all, discussion of such a subject will not be as bad for him as being left unprovided for will be for you.

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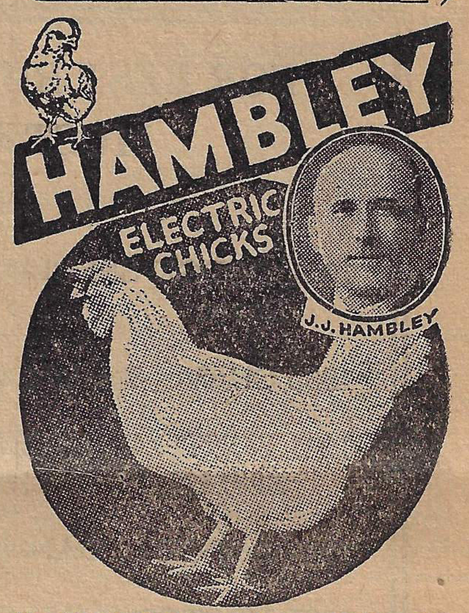
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Sturgeon Meeting Conducted By Retiring Councilor

Council meeting of Municipal District of Sturgeon held at Edmonton March 9 was presided over by Deputy Reeve and Councillor Joe McLean, who conducted the meeting as his last act in office prior to retirement

Wide range of subjects were dealt with at the meeting, including the issuance of some relief orders, and other routine municipal affairs. Present at the meeting were Reeve T. W. Rowswell, Councillors Joe McLean, Clive Potter, Henry Stack and Steve Radomski.

On behalf of the ratepayers, councillors and staff, Councillor McLean was presented with a desk set comprising a fountain pen and stand suitably inscribed with his term of office, and a picture of the council with whom he had sat during his last year of civic duties.

Resignation of Councillor Radomski was reluctantly accepted, with board members expressing regret as it was felt his place would be hard to fill.

Request from District 6, UFA Lamont, was heard, urging that the council declare a gopher week for poisoning gophers, and that suitable action be taken against any farmer failing to do his part. Council pointed out that municipal by-laws govern gopher poisoning, and that the only action that can be taken against a farmer is to charge the cost of having the work done against the land, the limit being 2 1-2 cents per acre.

School requisitions from four schools were accepted. Beverly School District will receive $7,-284.42; Paradis Separate School, $2,600; Sturgeon School Division $136,748; and Thorhild School Division $51,884.40.

Resignation of Poundkeeper Joe Godbout was accepted, and he will be replaced by Romeo Godbout as poundkeeper for Division 2.

Permission was granted to Mr. John Kordyban of Opal, to operate a general store in that village.

Advice was received that one district resident was insane, and the secretary was instructed to discuss the matter with the attorney-general.

Orders for relief were issued, one being an increase in aid to a man crippled in both legs. Council learned that City of Edmonton has agreed to accept responsibility for the maintainance of a district woman and family while her husband is in prison.

Launch New Survey In Oil Sand Field

McMURRAY—An intensive survey covering all phases of oil sand development will be launched in the McMurray oil sand region this spring.

During the survey operations at the Alberta government - owned pilot plant at Bitumount will be suspended, says Hon. D. B. McMillan, minister of public works.

The survey will study all processes by which oil sand crude could be converted into acceptable petroleum products. Also due for research will be methods of converting the heavy viscous oil sands crude into a product which would be readily transportable and acceptable as refinery stock.

Investigation also will be made into transportation costs and prospective markets. The plant will be kept in readiness for operation in the event that questions arise which can be answered only by full-scale plant tests.

McMURRAY BRIEFS

McMURRAY. — Last Thursday night about 200 residents of McMurray and Waterways attended a farewell dance in honor of "Granny Waniandi. She left McMurray to live in Yellowknife, after residing here for the past 20 years. In spite of her age, 85, "Granny" joined in a spritely dance, and kept pace with several others many years her junior. Mrs. Waniandi will live with her daughter, Mrs. V. Lonergan.

Mr. L. O'coffey returned to McMurray after spending several weeks in Edmonton.

Mrs. M. Panti left on Friday's train for Edmonton.

Mr. Fitzpatrick, an inspector for the Unemployment Insurance Bureau, was in McMurray for a few days.

Mr. R. Brooks returned to Waterways from Hay River last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mciver are back in Waterways for a few months from Goldfields.

Mr. Frank Rondeau from McLennan is visiting his sister, Mrs. F. Hawkins, in Waterways.

"Wong" is back at the MRT ready for a busy summer of cooking.

Mr. R. Goodwin is back in Waterways after being outside for some time.

St. Albert Launches Ratepayers' Group

ST. ALBERT.—The St. Albert Ratepayers' Association was organized at a meeting held in the Community hall on March 13.

The following were elected to executive: President, Mr. Eugene Maheux; vice-president, Mr. S. Hauptman; secretary - treasurer, Mr. Guy Rabound; Councillors: Messrs. H. E. Vague, L. Adams, H. Fleming and V. Hettinger.

Dr. Cuts, in explaining the need for such an organization, stated that St. Albert has a beautiful natural setting which would attract many new residents if all utilities were made vailable.

Mr. T. A. Tetreau told the gathering that the town council is now taking steps to have natural gas piped here in the near future.

Baritone



EDMUND HOCKRIDGE, baritone, who will be heard in the CBC Opera Company's production of Fidelio on March 22. His regular programs include "Edmund Hockridge Sings" on Mondays on Trans-Canada, and "Comrades in Arms" on Wednesdays on the CBC Dominion network.

Tests Show Cattle Free of TB Disease

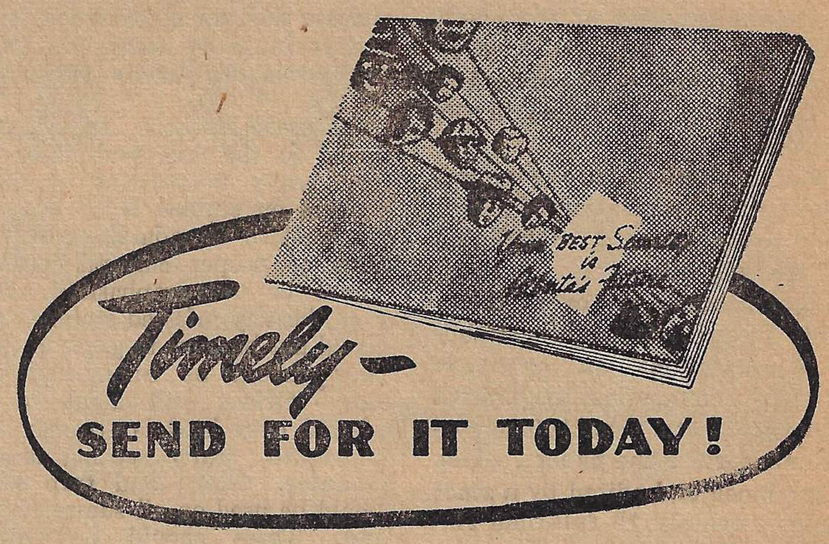
SANGUDO.—In response to a nmber of requests by cattlemen for TB and Bang's disease tests of cattle, L. H. Peacock, district agriculturist, arranged to have Dr. Whenham of Westlock come to the district to do the testing.

Recreation Centre
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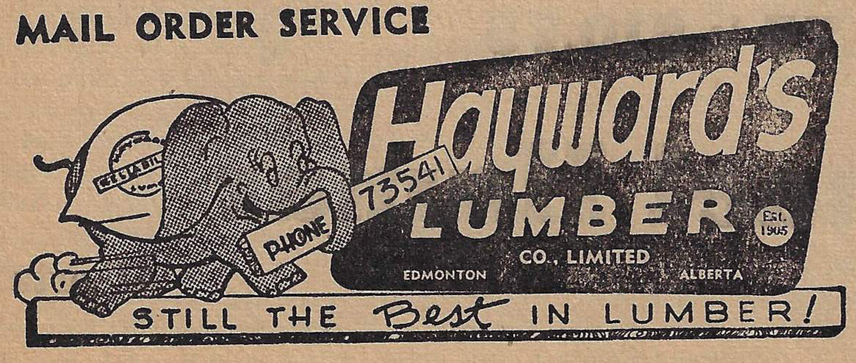
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Sangudo United Church Wedding



In a ceremony at the Sangudo United Church recently, Miss Edith O'Neil of Ballantyne became the bride of Jack Johnson of Cosmo. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Steel.

Soil Erosion And Weed Control

ONOWAY. — Soil erosion and weeds have become a serious menace to farmers of the Onoway district. In order to assist in control of these problems L. H. Peacock, district agriculturist, has arranged to hold a meeting in Onoway during the evening of Tuesday, March 14.

Mr. G. S. Sterling, supervisor of weed control and soil erision, department of agriculture, will also be present to discuss methods that have proven satisfactory in their control.

Farmers of the district are invited to attend this meeting, present their particular problems and join in the discussion.

Newspaper Firm Expands Plant

Work is going ahead on the expansion of the Community Publications plant at 10815 82 avenue, publishers of the South Edmonton Sun and over thirty other Alberta weekly newspapers.

A large extension to the building, which will more than double the present capacity of the plant, is now almost finished. Already some departments of the organization have been established in the extension.

Other expansions are planned, including the installation of a new rotary press, as soon as building facilities will allow.

As publishers of over thirty weekly papers, Community Publications maintains an extensive newsgathering service throughout northern Alberta. Over 100 correspondents service the papers, which are produced and edited by a staff of approximately 30 full-time employees in South Edmonton.

Most of the full-time workers reside on the South Side, and are active in the development of South Edmonton as the foremost suburb of the city.

HEATHERDOWN NEWS

HEATHERDOWN. — Mr. Dick Blurton has now taken over the Heatherdown mail carrying from Howard Gauntley, this past week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller at the Royal Alex hospital, March 3, a son. Congratulations.

New cars are the fashion this season at Heatherdown it seems. Otis Waddel has just purchased a new Chevrolet.

Rev. Kay of Stony Plain was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley White on Sunday.

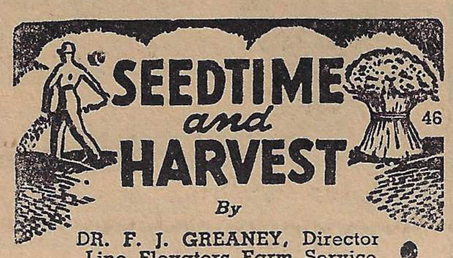
Mrs. William Johnston, Mr. Otis Waddel, Mrs. Joseph White, and Mr. Charles Parker represented Pine Ridge School at a school meeting held at Sangudo on Friday, March 3.

The Heatherdown Ladies' Aid held a service for the "World Day of Prayer" at Heatherdown on Friday, Feb. 24. This service was very well attended.

Mr. Phillip Miller is sporting a new two-tone Ford which really is a beauty. It sort of leaves the old Fords in the dust.

Mrs. William White has again returned from B.C., where she attended the funeral of her father.

Little Dianne White, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph White, is in an Edmonton hospital recovering from an appendix operation.



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The Grasshopper Menace of 1950

The reliable grasshopper surveys made by entomologists of the Dominion Department of Agriculture indicate that one of the worst grasshopper invasions since the 1930's may occur in Western Canada in 1950.

Cultural Methods Important—Owing to the fact that there are very heavy infestations of grasshoppers on stubble fields throughout Western Canada this year, the value of proper cultural methods cannot be over-emphasized. First of all, heavily infested stubble fields should not be sown to grain in 1950. They should be summerfallowed. Early surface cultivation of all infested crop land is strongly recommended. Early seeding is also advisable. Guard and trap strips should be used on all summerfallow land. These should be treated early and frequently with poison bait or sprayed or dusted with such chemicals as Chlordan, Aldrin or Toxaphene. Because of the outstanding results obtained during 1949, Chlordan and other new chemical sprays and dusts will be widely used in 1950. It must be remembered, however, that the first line of defence in any successful grasshopper control program is the use of efficient cultural practices.

Community Action Needed—In 1950, grasshopper control, regardless of the cultural and chemical methods used, will be most effective if all provincial and municipal officials, farmers, grain buyers and others co-operate in destroying threatening infestations of grasshoppers wherever they are found. The first responsibility of farmers, however, is to keep the grasshoppers on their own farms strictly under control. No effort must be spared in confining these winged pests to non-cropped land and from spreading to grain crops.

Consult your local Agricultural Representative, Municipal Grasshopper Supervisor, or nearest Dominion Entomological Laboratory for more detailed information on the latest and best grasshopper control measures.

Soetaert Resigns As Trade President

MORINVILLE.—At the monthly meeting of the Board of Trade, March 14, Mr. Arthur Soetaert, president, announced his resignation due to a heavy schedule imposed on him as mayor. A new president is to be elected at the next meeting.

A deficit of $32 was announced as the share owing for the banquet tendered the Dusseault family. A request to have Legal pay half is being made.

Correspondence was read from Mr. Jack Willburn, from the Minister of External Affairs, and from the Prime Minister's Office in reply to the resolution forwarded to the government is regard to the Alaska highway.

A motion of support was voted in reference to a letter from the Westlock Chamber of Commerce highway committee regarding a direct road route from Edmonton to Grande Prairie via Westlock. Westlock was requested to forward any information on the subject to the Morinville Board of Trade, and full co-operation from Morinville was pledged.

Mr. Soetaert reported that the fire truck was on its way from the east, and that a volunteer fire brigade was being formed under the direction of Leo Pellitier, local fire chief.

Motion by Jack Truscott and seconded by Joe Perras, that a commercial section of the Board of Trade, known as the Businessmen's Association be formed, was passed.

Mr. Dan Cournoyer, secretary, was instructed to write to the Highway Traffic Board and make the necessary inquiries about the parking of trucks on the highway within town limits.

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Tropical Flower is Raised in Canada For First Time



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For the first time in Canada camellias are being raised at Thos. Ivey greenhouses in Port Dover, Ont. Three miles of greenhouses are said to shelter one of the world's largest cut-flower businesses. Rare tropical flower will be sold in corsages and for the hair of milady as demonstrated here by Mary Reid.

Joe Louis' Ring Career

The news is out that Joe Louis is seeking a come-back in the ring. Only the future can tell what will be the outcome of this move, but developments focus attention of the ex-champion's ring career. Let us take a look backwards with Joe Louis in 61 ring contests.

Joe Louis (Joseph Barrow) whose fists have won for him $3,887,323, was born May 13, 1914 near Lexington, Alabama.

Out of 61 bouts, Louis delivered 51 knock-outs, won nine decisions, and was knocked out only once.

Louis' record starts on July 4, 1934, when he KO'd Jack Kracken. All told Joe had 12 bouts in 1934. Jack Kracken, KO; Willie Davis, KO; Larry Udall, KO; Jack Krantz, won; Buck Everett, KO; Alex Bochuk, KO; Adolph Water, won; Art Sykes, KO; Jack O'Dawd, KO; Stanley Proeda, KO; Chas. Massera, KO; and Lee Ramage, KO.

In 1935 Louis had 14 bouts, winning by knock-outs 12 times, and by decision twice.

Patsy Perroni, won; Hans Birchie, KO; Lee Ramage, KO; Red Bavey, KO; Nate Brown, won; Roy Lazer, KO; Bill Benton, KO; Roscoe Tales, KO; Willie Davis, KO; Gene Straton, KO; Primo Canera, KO; King Levinsky, KO; Max Baer, KO; Paul Uzcudun, KO.

Joe had six bouts in 1936, winning five of them by knock-outs, and being knocked-out himself once.

Schmelling KO'd Louis in 12 rounds, but Joe won by KO's over Charley Retzloff, Jack Sharkey, Al Ettore, Geo. Brescia, and Eddie Simms.

1937 was the year Louis won the title. He had five fights that year, winning three by KO's and two by decision.

He KO'd Stanley Ketchel, James Braddock, and Nate Brown, and won over Bob Pastor and Tommy Farr.

In 1938 Louis had three fights, winning all by knockouts. He KO'd Nathan Mann, Harry Thomas, and Max Schmelling (in the first round.

Louis in 1939 had four fights, winning all by knock-outs. He defeated John Henry Louis, Jack Roper, Tony Galento and Bob Pastor.

In 1940 Joe had four fights, winning three by KO's and one by decision. He decisioned Arturo Godoy, and knocked-out Johnney Paychek, Al McCoy, and Arturo Godoy.

In 1941 Joe had seven fights, winning one by decision and the rest by knock-out. He KO'd Red Burman, Gus Dorazio, Abe Simon, Tony Musto, Billy Conn and Lou Nova. In fighting Buddy Baer, Baer was disqualified at the end of the seventh round.

In 1942 Louis KO'd both Buddy Baer and Abe Simon.

After a war-time lay-off Louis came back in 1946 to KO Billy Conn and Tami Mauriello.

In 1947 Louis won a contentious 15 round decision over Jersey Joe Walcott, but in 1948 knocked out Walcott in the 11th round of a return-match.

Louis retired in 1949, and in an "elimination - contest" Ezzard Charles defeated Joe Walcott by a unanimous decision, but received only NBA recognition.

Joe Louis received the Edward J. Neil Trophy in 1941, which is awarded annually by the Boxing Writers' Association of New York to the person who has done the most for boxing in the previous year.

HEATHERDOWN BRIEFS

HEATHERDOWN. — Mr. and Mrs. Otis Waddell, accompanied by Mrs. Waddell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, motored to Fort St. John this past week to visit with relatives.

Mr. William Johnson and his lumber camp gang returned home Saturday, March 18, after spending the winter at Wildwood.

Rev. Kay of Stony Plain visited at the home of William Johnson, Sunday, March 19.

Mrs. J. White was appointed church secretary, succeeding Miss Dorothy Miller.

Mr. Dilly Gauntley is a patient in the University hospital, and his many friends and relatives wish him a speedy recovery.

BOYLE NEWS

BOYLE. — Miss Victoria Wozney of Edmonton, formerly of Boyle, visited friends and relatives in Boyle.

Miss M. Pundyk ,grade 4 and 5 teacher at Warren school in Boyle, is another victim of mumps. Mrs. M. Dorosh is teaching classes while Miss Pundyk is away.

Paul Andruski bought a new truck. Wonder how the heater works.

Kermit Westly has returned from Calgary where he has been taking a mechanic course.

Mr. Benard Le Levie spent a day in Edmonton.

Provincial government sold some school sections and the highest price of land at $30 an acre and the lowest price of land went at the minimum price of $3 an acre.

The Sunburst bus is running once again.

Mr. Frank Thompson spent the day in Edmonton.

The next regular meeting of the Boyle Athletic Association will be held in the Boyle Veterans hall on Sunday ,March 26.

Katherin Kowalchuk, supervisor at Caslan, is wearing a lovely ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Petryk, formerly Elsie Juse, are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mr. R. G. Harbach, party chief of Seismograph Service, spent several days in Edmonton.

Mrs. Henry Loy visited her husband in Edmonton, who has been in an Edmonton hospital.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Boyle Branch of the Canadian Legion held their annual meeting on March 14. Mrs. Frank Thompson was elected president, while Mrs. Griffith and Mrs. S. Harmata held their posts as treasurer and secretary respectively.

The Boyle Branch of the Women's Institute have opened their library in the Municipal hall. Open every Friday from 4 to 8, the library will try and satisfy all readers.

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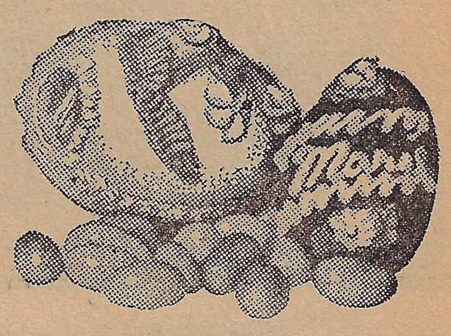
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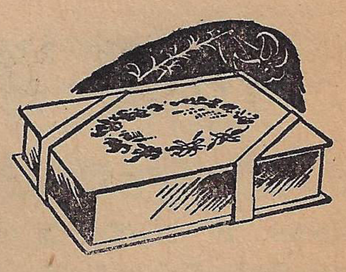
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LAC LA BICHE NEWS NOTES

LAC LA BICHE—Dr. Cadzow with his wife and two daughters Dionne and Joanne were in the city for a few days.

John Graterix flew from Edmonton north for the summer to work.

Fred Hutzkal sold his farm at Big Bay to John Ewanchuk. Fred is moving to Owl River.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher and son Henry went to High Prairie to visit Mr. Fisher's parents. From there they go to Flat Bush where Mr. Fisher is employed with the Independent Oil Co.

Mrs. Beaudry and son Earnest were in the city for a week.

Mr. McCaskill, manager of the Imperial Bank, went for two weeks holidays. Mr. Scatchard is relieving him at the bank.

The WI is sponsoring a bingo in the Memorial hall Thursday the 13th at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome. Come and bring a friend as the prizes are better than ever.

Mrs. Lett, president of the Women's Institute and Mrs. Dumas attended the WI convention in Edmonton, with 160 ladies present from District No. 2.

Mr. Frank Bouvier has returned home from Mile 1337 where he has been employed with the Imperials Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chester are here. Mr. Chester is secretary of schools here.

Mrs. L. Hall will leave for Ottawa on April 3. She will join her parents in Edmonton where they go to Ottawa. Her parents home is in Jasper.

Fr. Gauthier of Beaver Lake has a new truck.

The Students Union presents a three-act comedy, "Have a Heart,"

School Grant Up $2,664

LAC LA BICHE.—The village council has been presented with the school requisition for the current year. This requisition demands the sum of $15,984.27 an increase over last year of $2,664.04.

This progressive annual increase brings the village a long way beyond the much publicized protest of two years ago when the amount demanded was approximately $12,000.00.

The hope and desire of the village council to hold taxes at the level of the last two years has thus received a severe setback, and much needed village improvements will have to be curtailed.

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on Thursday at 8:30 p.m. in the theatre.

Mrs. Mitchell passed away Friday at 12 p.m. in St. Catherine's hospital. Details in the next paper.

Ladies' Bowling Scores

LAC LA BICHE.—Following is a list of ladies bowling scores.

	L	W	Pts
Baglot	6	8	16
Brinsmead	11	3	6
Badry	5	9	18
Cadzow	7	7	14
Hayduk	4	10	20
Kilar	3	11	22
Lacombe	10	4	8
Quast	10	4	8

Weather Summary

LAC LA BICHE.—Following is the weather summary for the week.

March 20	42	25
" 21	44	17
" 22	42	17
" 23	42	13
" 24	42	12
" 25	36	11
" 25	36	10

W.I. Enjoys Varied Activities

LAC LA BICHE. — Most members have completed their work on sewing kits and laundry bags, which girls of the WI have been making recently.

Miss Frost from Edmonton, suoke to a club meeting recently, and displayed samples of dickies, aprons, sewing kits and laundry bags. She also gave a talk on how and when club members are to go to Vermilion and Olds.

A pin curl demonstration was given to Dorothy by Doreen.

A delicious lunch was served by Grace Whitford, and Anita Michette, with nine members present.

District Farm Notes

LAC LA BICHE.—Mrs. Ernest Boudreau has received a flock of two-week old baby chicks. More are expected to arrive April 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bourassa were quite proud when two of their ewes had three lambs each. Neighbors say if this keeps up, it'll not be long before the Bourassa's will have a sheep ranch.

BRIEFS

PICKARDVILLE. — Mrs. Elden Glebe and infant son have returned from hospital.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. S. Smith, secretary of the FWUA, the monthly meeting which was to have been held last Thursday had to be postponed until March 23.

Mrs. Gillmore and Ingram visited friends during the week.

Mrs. S. E. Smith is convalescing at her home after a recent stay at the Westlock hospital.

Lac La Bich Hospital News

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Steve Leach of Lac la Biche, a daughter, March 19.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Gordy, of Caslan, a daughter, March 19.

To Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bahry of Sarrail, a daughter, March 22.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Groila of Lac la Biche, a son, March 22.

To Mr. and Mrs. Max Stevens of Rich Lake, a son, March 25.

ADMISSIONS

Jean Menard of Berny.

Mrs. Wm. Drugare of Atmore.

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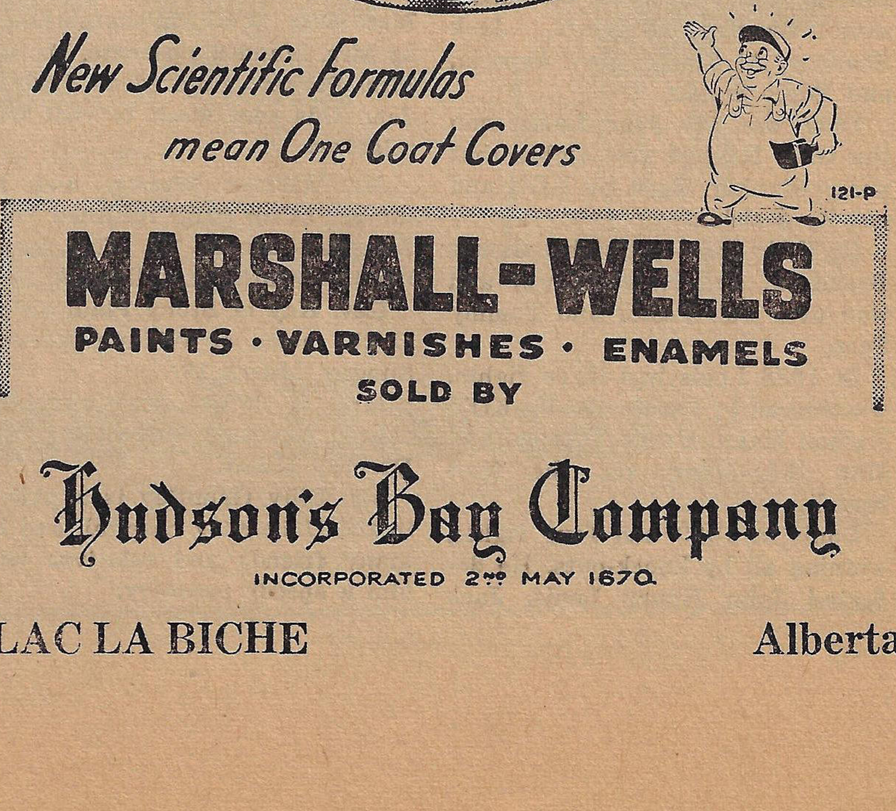
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"Echoes of Erin" A Decided Success

By PAT GAUDET

The Irish musical concert sponsored by the St. Anthony's Men's Club at the Mount Carmel School March 17 and 18 was a definite success both from a point of quality and variety.

Many fine and outstanding musical selections from the Emerald Isle were presented by some of the city's leading musical talent.

St. Anthony's choir led by Jean Letourneau presented such favorites as "I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen" and "Would To God That I Were A Tender Apple Blossom" these and other selectotions were well received by a very appreciated audience.

Father Leo Green directed the Mount Carmel group and himself randered several solos.

To add further to the quality of the talent on hand was one of Edmonton's noted violinists Egon Grapentin, who was accompanied by Mary Drummond.

Mr. Grapentin gave several concert selections that were in keeping with his fine reputation, and at Saturday's performance as an encore did an excellent rendition of Guno's "Ave Maria".

One of the highlights of the show, however. was the performance of a sweet voiced young Irishman, Master William Murphy who sang "The Little Red Lark" and "Cockles and Mussels". The songs by Mr. William Murphy who displayed excellent poise and perfect diction, combined with an outstanding voice, were in the opinion of many, the hit of the evening.

"The Last Rose of Summer" and a waltz by Edward German, sung by Kathleen Busby Letourneau were deserving of the highest praise.

To those who did the accompaniments, Miss A. Biamonte for the Mount Carmel Chorus, Ruth Lavelle for St. Anthony's Choir, Mary Drummond and Grapentin and Mrs. Letourneau goes the highest praise for helping to make the evening a decided success.

The ever active and versatile St. Anthony's Men's Club are now turning their talents toward putting on a Ham Bingo slated for April 5 at the Mount Carmel Auditorium.

Jockey Club Asks Race Track For South Side

A six or seven furlong race track on the outskirts of South Edmonton may be established this year providing the Alberta government passes an act to incorporate the Northern Alberta Jockey Club. Bill will go before the legislature some time this week.

According to Ronald Martland, Edmonton barrister, the club also wishes to erect a club house. Organization will have a capital stock of $250,000 divided into 2,500 shares of $100 each.

Backing the club are H. R. Milner, George H. Steer, Walter H. Sprague, Lee Williams, John A. McMullen, George Gleave and R. M. Montague.

If the track is built it is probable races will be held there after the summer Exhibition meet, which is the only turf event allowed thus far in Edmonton, except when officials secure a franchise for a South Side track, as they have done on several occasions.

Race authorities said the proosed club will probably not have any difficulty in securing a franchise, but one major difficulty will be to make arrangements with racing corporations for horses.

Lady Clutterbuck



Lady Clutterbuck, wife of the High Commissioner for the United Kingdom, is one of many prominent Ottawa women giving volunteer assistance in the Canadian Red Cross campaign. Divisional secretary for the British Red Cross before coming to Canada, she has been a member of the Ottawa Campaign Committee for the past three years.

Work Begins on South Side Drive-In Theatre

Plans are being drawn up for immediate construction of a second Edmonton drive-in theater, according to Mr. H. Kershaw, managing director of Western Drive-In Theaters, Ltd. The new theater will be located just south of the city.

Mr. Kershaw flew to Edmonton to complete plans for construction of this new unit, and to arrange for the opening of a similar theater west of the city. Before returning to Calgary, he conferred with Normon C. McDonald, manager of the existing drive-in.

Mr. Kershaw said that plans for a third Edmonton drive-in, two miles north of the city limits on the Namao road are being considered. Option has been taken on a fifteen acre site adjacent to the road.

The South Side and Namao road open air-units will cost about $150,000 each, and will be able to handle about 500 cars.

Some work has already been done on the South Side location. Erection of the screen tower, projection room and refreshment booth will get underway imediately. Opening day will be about May 22.

Re-opening of the Starlite is scheduled for April 1. Improvements are planned for the children's playground. Mechanical rides and swings will be installed this year.

Same Gang Believed Responsible For South Side Break-Ins

Another South Side business place, the Roller Drome skating rink, 10015-82 ave., has been disturbed bv thieves, apparently the same ones who entered the premises of the Rainbow ballroom on March 12.

At the Roller Drome, the thieves were apparently frightened away before they could ransack the building, as manager B. T. Jordan says that $150 left in the office over-night was undisturbed.

However, 'modus operandi' employed on the crime matches that of the Rainbow ballroom theft, where $570 was stolen.

Police are proceeding on this theory. Entry at the Rainbow ballroom was gained by taking pins from the door hinges, and then removing the door.

Scientists Say H-Bomb Can Destroy All People

Four scientists, who played major roles in the development of the wartime atomic bomb, recently discussed the possibilities of a hydrogen bomb, declaring that, if developed, it could be rigged in such a way as to exterminate the entire world's population, or most of it.

This is a rather startling assertion. The scientists point out that, under proper conditions, "it becomes easier to kill all the people in the world than just a part of them." Reassuring, however, is the statement that no one is yet sure whether the bomb can be made or not and that the "best guess" is that a minimum of three years will be required to complete the first model of the hydrogen bomb.

Without attempting to explain the processes by which a hydrogen bomb would release tremendous quantities of neutrons, the most penetrating particles in nature, we call attention to the statement that these neutrons would be scattered into the atmosphere and carried by winds over the surface of the earth. They would remain radio-active for years and any living thing inhaling them, or even touched by them, would be doomed to certain death.

The participants in the discussion that brought forth the dire prophecy included Prof. Hans A. Bethe, of Cornell University, Prof. Frederick Seitz, of the University of Illinois, Prof. Leo Szilard and Dr. Harrison Brown, of the University of Chicago. They explained that such a radio-active element, after getting into the air, would gradually settle out and cover the whole earth with dust in the course of a few years.

These men, in the course of their discussion, say that there may be some defense against the blast and flash-burn effects of the hydrogen bomb, but that the dispersal of our cities, industry and government would be no help against the effects of the radio-activity which would go everywhere.

STANGER NEWS NOTES

STANGER. — A meeting of the Stanger Club was held on Wednesday evening, March 15. Entertainment committee for the following month is George Moore, Miss Anne Gunton, and Stan Edgar. Miss Gunton was also appointed convener of dramatics for the club.

The regular movie show and dance was held on Friday, March 17.

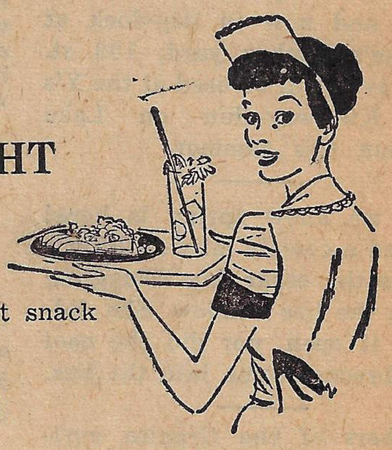
Bert Hughes of Cherhill, I.H.C. agent, was a business visitor here last Thursday.

Mrs. Anne Tuftin had a birthday party at her home on Monday, March 13. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tuftin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tuftin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Wilkinson and family, and Elmer Knutson.

Bert Carr has returned home after a pleasant holiday at Barrhead with relatives.

A sale of the effects of the late Jasper Bisig was held on Wednesday, March 15 at Stanger, auctioneered by D. Gabrielson.

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South Side-Lights

Interested in star-gazing? University of Alberta observatory will be open from 9:00 p.m. Wednesday, weather permitting, for observation of the moon and Saturn.

Safeway's new store being erected at 82 ave. and 109 st. will have an adjoining off-street parking lot, extending to 83 ave. A two-storey house situated on the sight is being demolished.

Rev. Layton announces the community United Church basement on 74 ave. between 96 and 97 st. will be ready for Easter services.

Former Navy Cadet boat the Exeter, recently donated to the YMCA and now in dry-dock at Prudham's lumber yard, 103 st. and 80 ave., will be used at the Y's Camp Kwe-way-dhin on Lake Wabamun this summer.

Now we know spring is here! Observed a comely miss on Whyte ave. bus the other day struggling to open the bus window. She didn't get it open, nor did the cool spring breezes come into the bus.

Members of the Granite curling club are preparing for their mixed bonspiel, which will get underway next Monday, March 27. About 68 local rinks will participate, featuring two draws each evening, at 7 and 9 p.m.

South Side resident George Prudham, MP for Edmonton West was delayed in getting back from Ottawa last week. Transportation tie-up at Winnipeg held him up for several hours, and Mr. Prudham didn't arrive in Ottawa until 1 a.m. Tuesday night.

St. Anthony's Church, South Edmonton, is holding special lenten services, reports Father Foran. First week's services are for ladies, and the following week for men. Services are conducted by Rev. G. Ehman and Rev. James Bennett of the Redemptionist order.

A new church for South Edmonton will open this fall. A $150,000 Mormon tabernacle will open then, comprised of a chapel that will seat 300 people and a recreation hall with a capacity of 500.

Boy's Explorer group is entertaining their parents tonight (Friday, March 24) at the Metropolitan church. They will be displaying work they have completed during the past year.

Physical eduction demonstration will be held Tuesday night, March 28 at 8:30 p.m. in the Mount Carmel school, under the sponsorship of the Home and School association. Program will be under the guidance of Miss Irene Moran, physical education instructor.

School tea at Riverdale school Wednesday afternoon was presented under the guidance of Mrs. Butterworth, Mrs. Little and Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. George Prudham, wife of West Edmonton's MP was a special guest.

Sam Barrett left the city Monday for Vancouver on a 10 day business trip.

Henry Hendrickson of South Side Motors reports that the car which was stolen from his lot last week has been recovered but the culprit responsible isn't to be found.

Jazz Concerts



The happy faces belong to the three people of CBC Toronto who are responsible for the jazz concerts presented on the CBC Dominion network at 7:00 p.m. every Monday... They are Arlene Mead, the producer; Dick MacDougall, the announcer, and Jack Barkley, the technical operator... The three were snapped in a control room during rehearsal for a recent broadcast. "Live" jazz concerts will be presented fortnightly.

MORINVILLE BRIEFS

MORINVILLE. — A new sign, that of Steffe's Lumber, is now adorning the business section of Morinville, and it adds a new sign of life in the town.

The C. C. Lanalee general store is undergoing a remodelling job and will feature semi self-service when work is finished.

Someone was in a hurry Friday evening when they drove a big truck across the sidewalk in front of the Morinville Hotel, knocking down a lighting fixture.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Rousseau are the proud grandparents of a baby girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Chavest (nee Gertrude Rousseau) and given the name of Lorraine.

Executive meeting of the new curling club was postponed till Tuesday of this week.

Public speaking classes here are well-attended and no doubt much good will come from them.

Mr. Philippe Geleaue and Jimmy Elliott are presiding in French and English classes respectively.

First meeting of the school board since the election of new trustees was held Tuesday evening.

Mr. Wilfred Laboute is back from the locker convention held in Calgary last Monday to Wednesday.

Morinville Cubs, in the Intermediate "B" League finals against Sparling-Davis, had a busy week with three games. Sparling-Davis won the first game 12-5, and repeated on the second game with a 20-5 triumph. But playing Saturday on home ice, the Cubs made a fine comeback with a 9-7 win. Let's hope Lady Luck favors them on Tuesday to even the score 2-2 in the best three out of five series for the Martel Trophy.

There are rumors we may have a small hospital, but no encouragement is forthcoming from the government or the party who would take charge of the establishment.

Council burned the midnight oil again last Thursday, dealing with budget requisites requiring minute attention and lots of discussion.

A grand soiree of first class entertainment is in store for you with a formal concert of operatic arias and violin recital to be held in the Parish hall, March 24 at 8:15 p.m.

Another date to remember is the ATC show Saturday, March 23, sponsored by the Morinville Canadian Legion. Register now with John Hruska and take a part in the show.

SANGUDO BRIEFS

SANGUDO.—Mrs. John Liss returned home last Thursday after n extended trip in the United States. She was a guest of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ivanhoe of Taft, Cal.

The many friends of Mrs. McConaghie will be glad to hear that she is recovering from a recent stroke and took her first steps alone last Monday.

Mrs. H. Perrin has returned home after having spent the past three weeks visiting her parents in Grand View, Man.

Mrs. C. Holroyd returned to her home at Warner, after having spent the past week with her father Mr. J. D. Skinner. Mr. Skinner accompanied his daughter to Edmonton where he spent a few days.

Miss Ruth Whaley of the Dept. of Agriculture, spent the weekend in Sangudo. Miss Whaley was one of the judges at the Hobby Fair.

Mrs. E. Hepburn of Edmonton was a weekend visitor at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hepburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kerr arrived in Edmonton Saturday morning. They came by plane from St. Louis, Missouri.

Mr. Wiggins was a business visitor in Edmonton on Monday. He took in exhibits from the Hobby Fair into the T. Eaton Co. where they will be on display for the coming week.

On Monday, March 13, the SY RA held a farewell party in honor of Ed. Garner who is leaving to join the Airforce. Everyone attended the hockey game first and then wended their footsteps to the Elks hall for dancing and refreshments. During the evening the guest of honor was presented with a music case with the good wishes of all present.

Darlene Steinke entertained a few friends at a birthday party on the occasion of her 9th birthday, celebrated March 14. Her little guests included Myrna Farburg, Joyce Shevoley, Ruth Graham, Marjory Westerburg, Verla Lesberg, Vicky Creighton, Patricia Good, Karen Neuman, Karen Peacock, Doreen Steinke.

A "brush" party sponsored by the Wear Ever Brush Co. was held in the Legion hut on Tuesday, March 14. The agent, Mrs. Chapman gave a very interesting talk and demonstration on the different brushes and cleaning aids. Games were enjoyed by the guests after which lunch was served. Mrs. W. Ray of Rochfort was in charge of the party arrangements.

REPEAT

A man telephoned his doctor, asking him to come as quickly as possible. "My wife has appendicitis."

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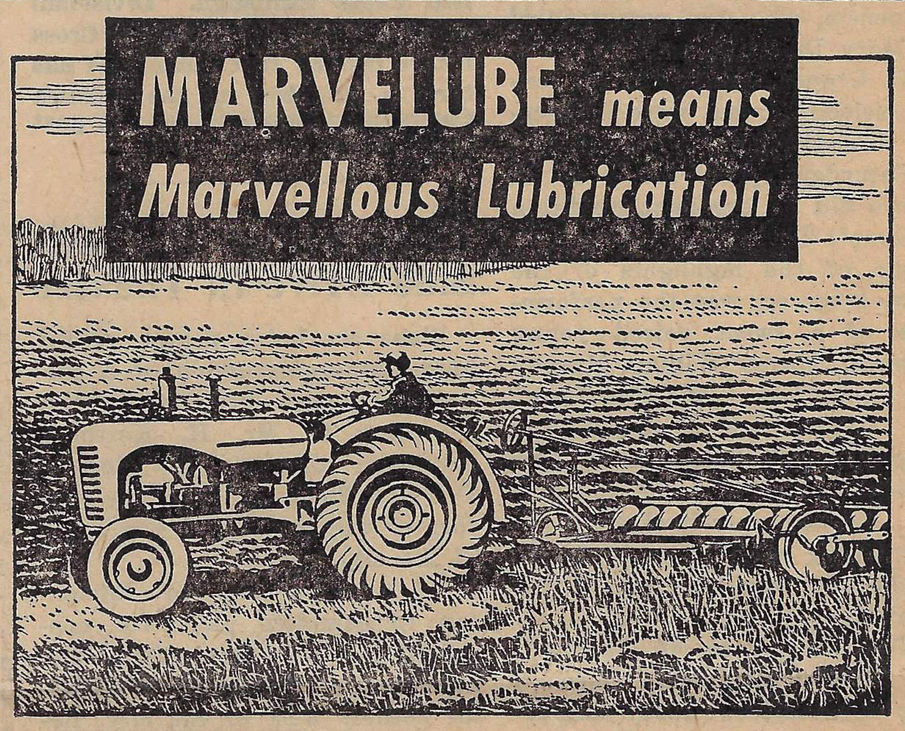
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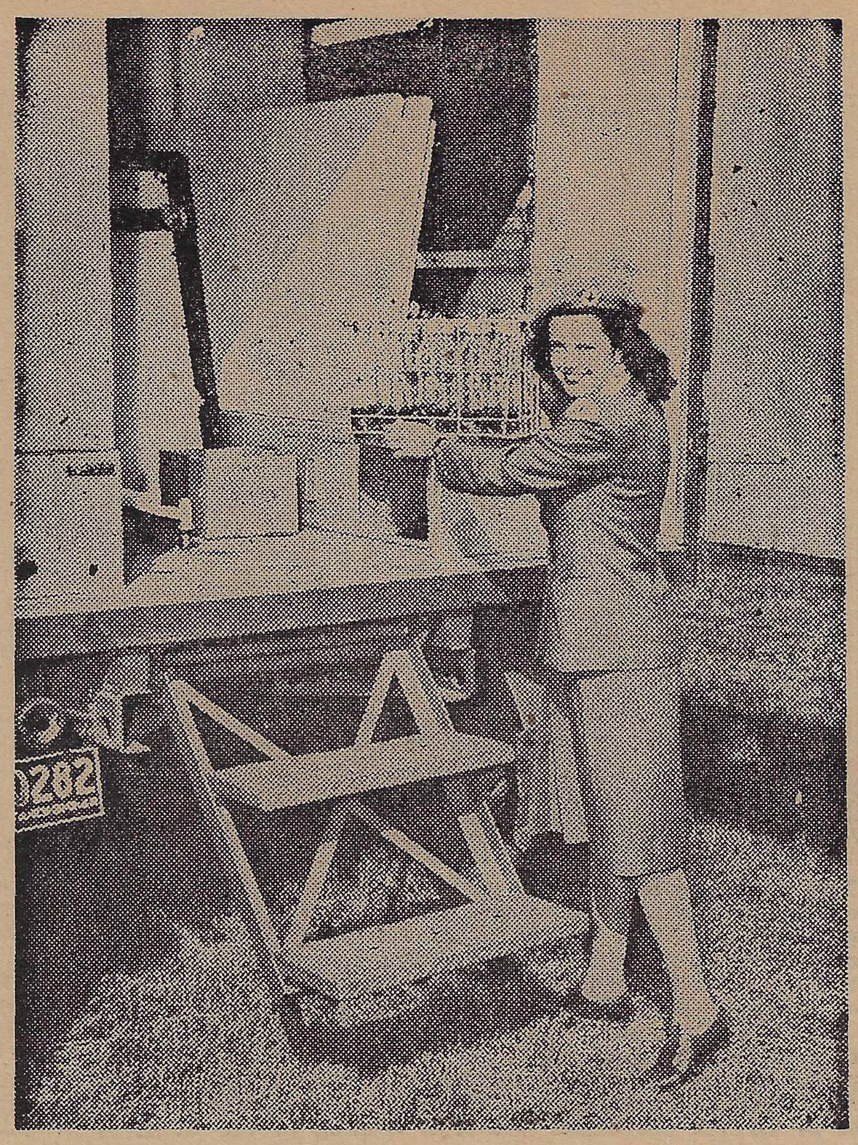
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FOR SALE—W.C. Allis-Chalmers Tractor, 1947 model. Good condition. Apply W. Kruger, Onoway. P A-1-8

LEGAL NEWS NOTES

LEGAL.—Mr. Grigoire who has been working most of the winter as cook is back home resting, since the saw-mill where he was employed was destroyed by fire.

Mr. Georges Leduc's farm that had been advertised as for sale, has been sold to Mr. Noel Tieutie. Mr. Leduc plans to move into the village.

Through the work of the Student's Union and with the help of other organizations of the village, a school projector has now been acquired to give shows to the school children during the noon and recess house. Mr. L. Page is in charge of buying films and giving the shows. For this purpose the basement of the High School has been fixed.

Rev. Sister A. Bezaire who spent three weeks in the General hospital, has now been released but will remain in St. Albert for some time. She is expected to resume teaching after Easter. In the meantime Mrs. L. Lorieau is replacing her.

70 People Attend St. Patrick Party

MORINVILLE. — Members of the Morinville Public Library Board were hosts to about 70 people for a St. Patrick card party and bingo session March 17. After whist and bingo a short musical program was presented.

Mrs. Joe Leduc sang two songs and Mrs. C. Rippel played the piano. Misses Rita and Irene Bokenfohr sang, Miss Lorraine Soetaert offered a recitation, and a few words of encouragement were spoken by Mr. Mayor who won loud applause for two good songs.

Mr. Albert Oulette was master of ceremonies, assisted by Mrs. Therese Counoyer and Mrs. Charlotte Riopel as hostesses.

Winners at cards were Mrs. R. Martel and Mr. C. Gibeau. Boobie prizes went to Miss Adoralis Chevalier and Mr. Bill Gibeau. Mrs. Rose Weiss was the lucky winner of the door prize. Coffee and doughnuts were served by several high school girls.

F.U.A. Holds Basket Social

ST. ALBERT. — Friday, March 10 the St. Albert FUA and FWUA held a well-attended card party and basket social. Varied baskets with different shapes, colors and designs were on display.

First prize winners in cards were Mrs. J. Arcand and Mr. R. Buttner.

John Williams Marks 71st Birthday

MORINVILLE. — One of the first settlers in the western part of the district, Mr. John Williams, 71, was honored recently by his family and friends at a birthday party given at his home in town by his daughters.

Among those present to wish Mr. Williams a happy birthday were Mrs. Mat Hittinger, Mrs. A. McLeod, Mrs. J. McLeod, Mrs. Mary McMann, Mrs. A. Hunking, Mrs. Laurence McLeod, and other old neighbors and grandchildren.

Home Cooking Sale At Legion Tea

Lounge of Strathcona branch, Canadian Legion, was decorated with shamrocks at last week's St. Patrick's tea and sale of home cooking.

Convener of the affair was Mrs. H. Joslin. Mrs. A. R. McDonald and Mrs. T. Fleck were in charge of the tea, assisted by Mrs. A. Hoath, Mrs. J. Clarke and Mrs. A. Russell.

Grocery hampers were won by Mrs. W. Paterson and Mr. McKercher.

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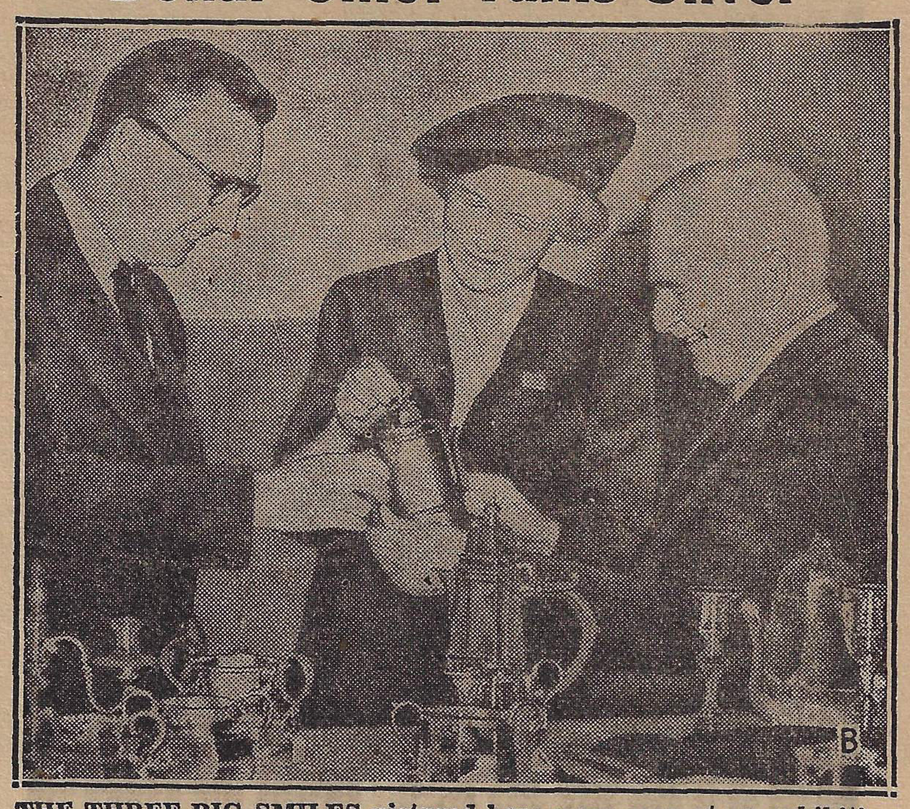
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Two Dead As Train Hits Car

WESTLOCK. — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coles of Cldye district were fatally injured Wednesday afternoon when their car was hit broadside by a Northern Alberta Railways freight train within Westlock's town limits.

A building obscured the NAR tracks and it was believed Mr. Coles did not hear the train approaching. The car was struck on the driver's side and carried 200 yards along the track.

The car door opposite the driver was forced open with the impact and Mrs. Coles was thrown to the ground.

She was crushed by the automobile and died instantly. Mr. Coles died in Westlock hospital later.

Mrs. Coles was about 38 years old and her husband about 45.

The couple farmed in the Clyde district and are survived by a son Dennis, 14, and a daughter Darlene, 12.

EGREMONT NEWS

EGREMONT. — Egremont defeated the Redwater Seniors on Redwater ice on Friday, March 10.

The Sports Club of Egremont held a meeting on March 12 and decided to have a stag party for the hockey team Saturday March 18.

An amateur hour sponsored by the Egremont Sports Club will be held April 1 at the Egremont Community hall. Anyone interested please contact Mr. Albert Purschke.

Monday, March 13 Egremont played against Fort Saskatchewan and the game ended with a tie 3-3. It was a very rough game.

On Wednesday, March 15 Egremont Pirates played against Radway on Radway ice and lost 1-0 in favor of Radway. It was a fast bruising game with a few casualties.

Mayerthorpe Opens Memorial Hall

MAYERTHORPE. — About 250 persons attending the opening by the Canadian Legion of the new district Memorial hall heard Mayor A. M. Montemurro laud the organization "in building such a grand memorial hall in our village."

Arthur Burns, zone representative of Rochfort Bridge, was chairman for the occasion, and Rasmus Hestbak officiated as sergeant-at-arms.

President of the Mayerthorpe Legion, Leslie Hughes, expressed thanks to those in the community who had been instrumental in building the hall. Ted Brown, provincial honorary treasurer, touched on the lighter side of a soldier's life, as well as the more serious aspects.

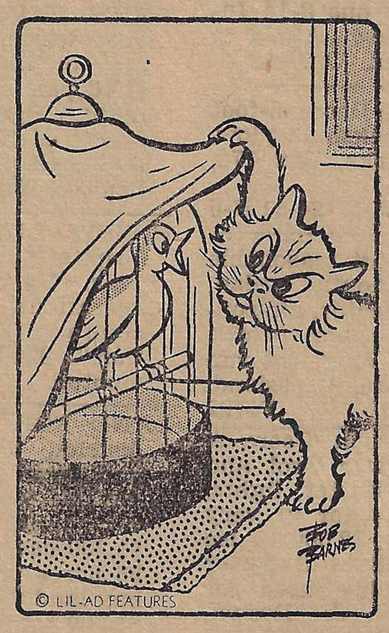
Chaplain of the Mayerthorpe branch, Rev. J. H. Dicker, led the gathering in prayer. Master of ceremonies was Howie Williams, Edmonton. Also present was Geo. Gleave, provincial Legion president.

Hold Election Of Village Councillors

WASKATENAU.—The election of village councillors was held Feb. 27. At the nomination meeting held Feb. 20, two nominations were received, these being Mr. F. Wasnea and Mrs. C. Procter.

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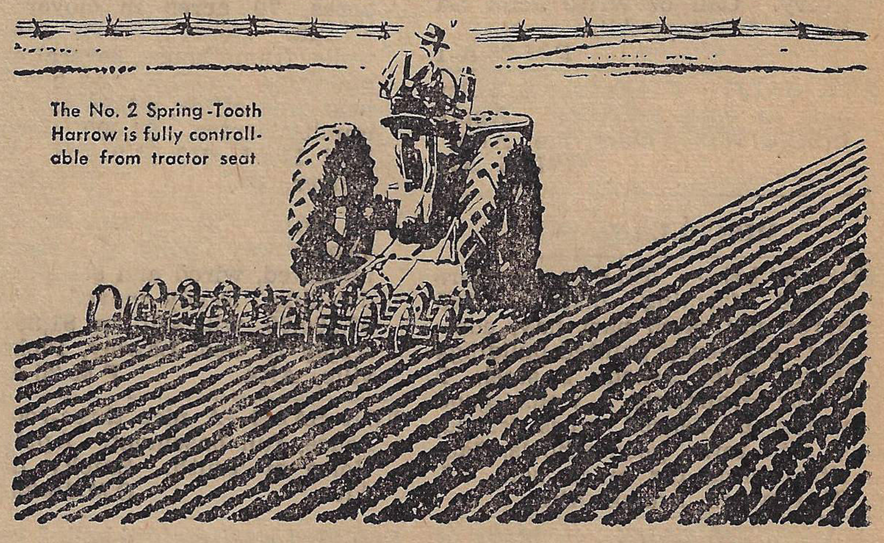
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